

HOOVER FOILS SENATE FOES

Flood-Control Star Witness Heard by Committee

Administration's Plans for Work Approved

Meeting to Draft Measure Called for Monday

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consideration of the President's recent suggestion that a commission should be set up to study all factors and make his recommendations to Congress a year hence.

Failure of Congress to provide for Mississippi flood control at this session "would be a calamity, not only to the people of the flood territory, but to the country as a whole," Mr. Hoover declared.

EFFECTS OF FLOOD

Mr. Hoover expressed the view that in some degree "the minor slackening in business activity throughout the country at present is a repercussion of the flood and I believe that the early consummation of legislation would be of value in stabilizing the economic fabric."

"It would restore courage, confidence and enterprise in the people of the flood territory," he declared.

Entering with Chairman Jones, Mr. Hoover took a seat at the end of the long committee table.

"Give your name to the stenographer," directed Senator Jones.

"Herbert Hoover, Secretary of Commerce," was the reply.

"You have had some engineering experience?"

"My engineering experience has been on the mining and industrial side. I have had no great experience in flood control and hydraulics and I cannot be set up as an expert in flood control."

"You went down on the Mississippi during the flood last spring?"

"Yes, sir, the President sent me down there as his personal representative."

"You have a statement you wish to read to the committee?"

"Yes, sir," Hoover replied, and then began to read.

STATEMENT READ

"I am glad to have the opportunity to present to the committee my views as to the urgency of legislation for the control of Mississippi floods," the Secretary said.

"I believe the failure of action at this session of Congress would be a calamity not only to the people in the flood territory but to the country as a whole; and it is indeed my belief that legislation should be completed at the earliest moment that can be accomplished with proper deliberation."

"Engineering and the methods of course lie wholly within the War Department and outside the jurisdiction of the Department of Commerce. I am, however, speak upon the necessity of legislation from both the human and economic points of view."

"I had the honor to be chosen by President Coolidge to organize and direct the relief activities during the recent flood. No man could occupy that responsibility and have witnessed its scenes without being moved to the urgent human needs of preventive measures."

THOUSANDS HOMELESS

"I need not recount to you the unprecedented character of the flood. Some 750,000 of our people were compelled to flee from their homes in jeopardy of their lives. The damage to their crops, farms and villages amounted to hundreds of millions of dollars."

"It was only by the extraordinary co-operation and initiative of the people of the South with the help of the Red Cross and our Federal agencies that an enormous loss of life was prevented. We witnessed the unprecedented necessity of moving several hundred thousand people to concentration camps, providing them with the necessities of life, safeguarding their health and rehabilitating them in their homes."

"I estimate that in all the agencies called into being upward of \$27,000,000 had been required to provide for them the barest necessities."

"Economic loss is not borne solely by the direct victims. Every citizen of the nation has lost something from the reduced purchasing power due to destruction in the valley. The loss of several million acres of crops deprived the American people of just that most precious commodity which they might have consumed or exported."

REPLY TO QUESTION

Replying to a question by Senator Hawes as to the administration's plan for dividing cost of flood control between the Federal government and the Mississippi Valley States, Secretary Hoover said he could not be expected to answer questions which might be construed as recommendations of another department of the government.

"It is my duty to support the proposal made by my colleagues," he said. "It involves problems of right of way and flood rights. Some of the works will be located in one State for the benefit of another State; some in one levee district for the benefit of another district."

Reminding the Secretary that he had stated in public addresses that adequate flood control is a national problem, the Missouriian asked him whether States could be assessed 20 per cent or the whole cost should be borne by the Federal government.

"You have no right to draw the conclusion that because I said it is a national problem that I bound myself to any definite plan," Hoover replied. "The matter of contributions is as complicated as the problem of engineering."

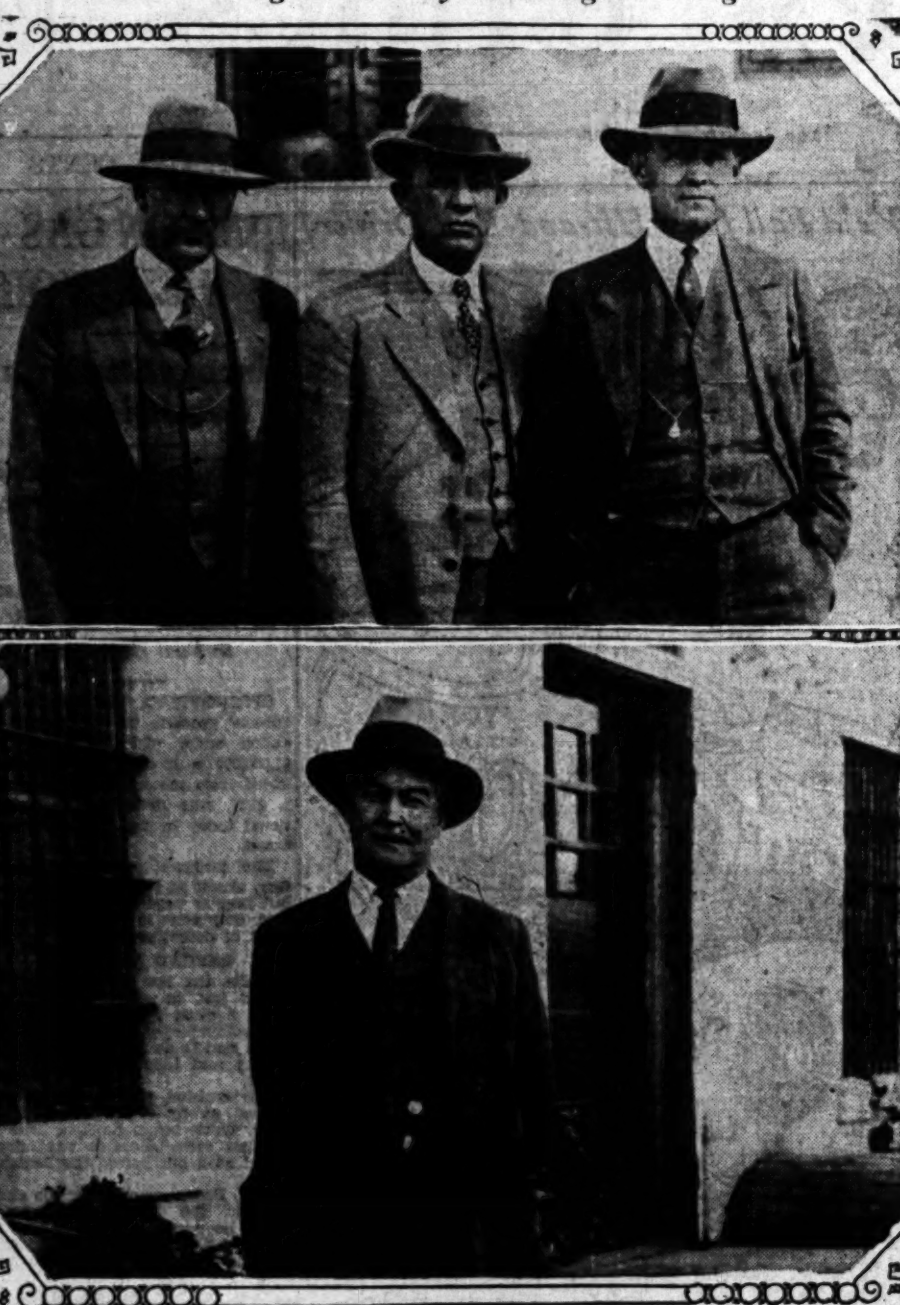
HAWES PERSISTENT

"The question we want to determine," Hawes pursued, "is whether flood control is a national problem to be paid for by the nation or whether a certain part of the cost should be paid by the States affected."

The Secretary then turned to a second prepared statement in which he expressed the belief that the principle of long standing—that a division of the cost between the Federal and State governments—should be adhered to as a method of assuring competence and economy in Federal expenditures by the efficient check of local authorities and local interest in the work.

"It should be possible to devise methods which will impose no hardship," Hoover added. "The Secretary of War has suggested that contributions might be deferred to the end of years until recuperation and growth of wealth which invest-

Central Figures in Dynamiting Investigation



(Photographs by George R. Watson, Times staff photographer)

More Owens Valley Arrests Expected

In charge of the investigation of the dynamiting of the Los Angeles Aqueduct, left to right—J. Clark Sellers, criminologist and handwriting expert; John N. Pyles, chief investigator, and Jess Hession, District Attorney of Inyo county. Below—Perry G. Sexton, one of the men arrested as a suspect in the dynamiting episodes.

ably will come with security and protection."

Reiterating that the problem is an involved one, Hoover said it would seem to him that the President's recent suggestion that a commission should be set up to study all factors and make his recommendations to Congress a year hence "would be an admirable way to determine both the methods and do full justice to the situation."

SECRETARY'S SUGGESTION

"I have suggested that it is possible to make an appropriation, proceed with the work and have ample time to consider the question of finances," Hoover said at one point.

The Missouriian remarked that "out of some 300 witnesses before the House and Senate committees the only witnesses who have appeared without an opinion as to payment of costs of flood control."

"I am completely convinced that the matter requires further consideration," Hoover answered. "I am also completely convinced that it can be carried out without hardship on the people of the South."

The Secretary of War has suggested a plan of deferred contribution to enable the people of the flood district to derive benefit from the protection afforded."

The people of the flood district not only object to paying 20 per cent of the cost, but it is an impossibility," Hawes declared.

"You are endeavoring to pin me down to an opinion of your own," the Secretary told him. "Senator Hawes returned to the questioning division of costs and other matters."

"Don't you think the opinion of civil engineers should be considered in drafting the engineering plan of flood control?" he asked.

DECLINES TO ANSWER

"Senator, I don't believe you will insist that I answer questions which might be critical of my colleagues," Hoover replied. "I must decline to answer questions which might put me in the position of criticizing other departments of the government. The problem is to obtain competent engineers. It makes no difference whether they are army or civil engineers."

Senator Willis took up the questioning and there was a straining forward of spectators and committee-men. The Missouriian asked the Secretary whether he adhered to a general plan of flood-control legislation by Congress with the details left to a commission or whether Congress should adopt a definite plan.

"My own feeling runs in the direction of adoption of the major items, a flood way and the strengthening of levees," Hoover replied. "It seems to me that will be the more constructive plan. But again that is a matter the War Department must advise you on."

Although official confirmation of the reports was unobtainable today due to the absence from the city of Mr. Fox, who is in the South, and to the reluctance of Fox officials to comment on the deal, it was stated in responsible quarters that "some negotiations have been made in respect to Fox's acquisition of Stanley, although nothing definite has been arranged."

PLAN OF COMMISSION

Adverting to the Secretary's suggestion of a commission to advise Congress, Willis asked whether it was the plan to have this commission study details of construction and only the financial and economic side of the problem.

Senator, the President suggested that commission. Mr. Hoover replied. "The flood plan is an engineering problem; the financing is an economic problem and I take it that the commission would study the financial and economic side."

"Do you want to express an opinion between the main plan and the Mississippi River commission?" the Missouriian went on.

"No, Senator, I'm not competent to do that," Hoover replied.

Again Senator Hawes took up questioning, insisting on an answer as to division of costs of the work of years until recuperation and growth of wealth which invest-

LISTS JOINED IN OHIO CONTEST

Both Willis and Hoover Manager of Los Angeles File Candidacies

Action Definitely Enters Secretary in Race

Each Side Designates Full Delegate Ticket

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COLUMBUS (O.), Feb. 24. (AP)—United States Senator Willis and Secretary of Commerce Hoover today declared it a finish fight for control of Ohio's delegation to the Kansas City convention and for popular endorsement of Ohio's voters.

Both not only filed formal declarations of candidacy with the Secretary of State, thus entering them in the Presidential preference primary, April 24, for popular endorsement of the Republican voters, but also entered a complete slate of delegates in the primary contest.

Secretary Hoover by his action in entering the Presidential preference contest thus made the first formal announcement of his candidacy. He previously had authorized delegates to pledge to him, thus informally announcing his intention.

WILLIS FILES FIRST

Both Hoover and Willis headquarters held a meeting to enter their candidates in the Presidential contest until late today. Announcement of Mr. Willis' entrance was followed immediately by word at Hoover headquarters that their candidate also would enter the race for popular endorsement. Regardless of which candidate receives a majority of the popular vote, the result will be binding on any delegates. The delegates are elected individually.

Heading the list of Willis delegates at large is Col. Carmel A. Thompson, Cleveland, the Senator's campaign manager, and former United States Treasurer, while Representative Theodore Burton, Cleveland, heads the list of Hoover delegates at large.

Each side also selected a woman on the at-large slate. Hoover chose Mrs. Hugh Clark of Steubenville. Each side also gave representation to the negro race on their list of delegates at large.

SECOND-CHOICE PLEDGES

While all the Hoover delegates are pledged second choice to James R. Garfield, Cleveland, son of the former President, who is not an avowed candidate but merely consented to the use of his name in order to comply with the State primary law, a majority of the Willis delegates are believed to be pledged to the candidacy of Gov. Lowden of Illinois. Senator Charles Curtis, also received a number of second-choice pledges.

COLORADOANS FAVOR HOOVER AND SMITH

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24. (AP)—Colorado Republicans favor Secretary Hoover for President and Gov. E. D. Nichols of Denver, a son of the former Colorado Senator, said after a call at the White House.

He declared it to be his belief that neither party will send an instructed delegation to the convention, but that they will favor and vote for these men respectively at Kansas City and Houston. Nichols, a Cleveland, Ohio, Republican, is a member of the House of Representatives.

LINDBERGH PROPOSED AS HOOVER'S RUNNING-MATE

EVERETT (Mass.) Feb. 24. (AP)—"I would like to place before you for consideration the ticket of Hoover and Lindbergh," Gov. Fuller told the State Federation of Women's Clubs today in an address in which he urged greater participation of women in politics.

PENNSYLVANIA DELEGATES AT LARGE DESIGNATED

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 24. (AP)—Communicating with Pittsburgh Republican leaders by telephone from New York today, W. L. Mellon, chairman of the Republican State Committee, announced a list of delegates at large to the national convention to be voted for at the primary April 24.

The "big seven" are Secretary of the Treasury Mellon, Secretary of Labor Davis, Gov. Fisher, Senator Vare, Ralph Beaver Strassburger, Mrs. Worthington Scranton and State Chairman Mellon.

Philbur Urges Preparedness

NORFOLK (Va.) Feb. 24. (AP)—Adequate national defense requires the Navy to develop aircraft, guns, torpedoes, submarines and the protection and gunfire of capital ships, Secretary Philbur declared here tonight in an address. The Secretary said his audience that he believes war is avoidable through preparedness.

Fox-Stanley Deal Said to be Under Way

NEW YORK, Feb. 24. (Exclusive)—A deal involving the acquisition of the Stanley Company of America by the William Fox interests, which has been rumored in the financial district for some time, is well under way and 1928 is expected to witness the unification of those two theater chains into a \$300,000,000 organization making the nation's more than 600 theaters throughout the United States, according to well-authenticated reports in Wall Street today.

Subpoenas Out for Power Quiz

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24. (AP)—The Federal Trade Commission today issued subpoenas to power companies all over the country for information on which to carry out the Senate order for an investigation of their financing methods.

FISH FAVORS HIGHER AGRICULTURAL TARIFF

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24. (AP)—Representative Fish of New York, Republican, urged the Tariff Commission today to raise the duties on imported agricultural products to the full 50 per cent allowed under the flexible provisions of the Tariff Act. Testifying at the investigation into costs and other economic factors in the production of milk and cream in the United States and Canada, Fish declared the American dairy men had not receiving a sufficient return for investment.

PAINTINGS BY WIFE OF RECENT EXHIBITED

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 24. (AP)—Fifty-three canvases, painted by Cora Lyon Hayes, Edendale artist, and wife of J. O. Hayes, a regent of the University of California, are being exhibited here.

JULIAN SUIT IN PHOENIX LAGS

Manager of Los Angeles Office on Stand

Asserts Ignorance of Data Found in Ledgers

Judge Orders Auditor to Prepare Digest

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PHOENIX, Feb. 24. (Exclusive)—Only a start was made today on a suit for receivership filed by A. Krell and other stockholders of the Monte Cristo Mining and Milling Company against C. C. Julian, who purchased a controlling interest in September, 1926, from Ezra W. Thayer of this city.

Julian later gathered in several hundred thousands other shares, some of them in exchange for Julian merger stock. Immediate danger to the interest of the minority is seen by maturing of notes aggregating \$475,000 given by the Julian directors to the Monte Cristo Mining Company, concerned with the same directorate.

Julian and Thayer both were in Judge Winslow's courtroom, during the hearing, but the only witness examined was H. B. Fleisher of Los Angeles, who declared he knew little of the matters referred to in the company ledger, though manager of the Spring-street Julian offices and director in the various companies. Attorney C. R. Holton of the petitioners was able to bring out only the admission that all the company records called for by the court have not been produced. The ledger showed no entries since last June, though the notes were authorized in November.

Judge Winslow finally ordered the appointment of an auditor to work through the books of various incorporations affected and submit a digest of the situation, as affecting any possible infringement of minority rights. The case is to be tried March 27.

FIRE FIEND MURDERER STILL FREE

Reports on New Jersey "Torch Slayer" Conflict; Claws Followed Up

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BERNARDSVILLE (N. J.) Feb. 24. (AP)—The "torch killer" of James Margaret Brown still was at large tonight.

State troopers have said that his identity is known, that he is a middle-aged professional man of high social standing, but later Prosecutor Bergen denied that anything definite was known about the killer.

"If I knew him and where he was," said the prosecutor, "I would go out and get him."

In the afternoon Miss Brown, whose gasoline-soaked body was found flaming like a human torch behind a hot-dog stand, on the Bernardsville-Morrisstown road Monday night, was buried quietly at Fort Monmouth.

Police investigation centered around clues furnished by a man and a woman. The woman told of seeing a blue sedan parked on Monday night at the place where Miss Brown's body was found, and there was some hope that she might be able to help in tracing ownership of the car. The man told of being near the scene of the crime last night and of being questioned concerning the killing by a man who drove up in a blue sedan.

State Offers Bomb Evidence in Reed Trial

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OTTAWA (Ill.) Feb. 24. (AP)—The first evidence that the Pleasant Valley schoolhouse was wrecked by dynamite last December was introduced by the State today in its fight to send Hirom Reed, young farmer, to prison on a charge of bombing.

The prosecution asserts Reed put the explosive in the stove that burst and seriously injured the teacher, Iola Bradford. The defense has indicated its doubt that dynamite caused the tragedy, with which it holds Reed had nothing to do.

Following descriptions of the explosion by ten former pupils of Miss Bradford, Theodore Paris took the stand to clinch the State's contention that dynamite was used. He testified he was thoroughly familiar with the explosive. He said an odor of dynamite filled the schoolroom after the explosion and that there were other evidences of it having been used.

Two Governors Confer in East

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ALBANY (N. Y.) Feb. 24. (Exclusive)—Gov. Greene of Michigan and Gov. Smith of New York passed two hours in conference at the Executive Mansion today.

What the Governor of Michigan said to the Governor of New York was disclosed as something to the effect that the former hopes the latter will lend his aid to passage of a bill now before the New York State Legislature which would make the municipal bonds of Detroit, as well as other cities, legal investments for savings banks in New York State.

FORMER BANK HEAD HELD IN PECULATIONS

HOT SPRINGS (Ark.) Feb. 24. (AP)—Accused of peculations amounting to \$175,000 from various sources, Charles H. Hays, former vice-president and director of the Arkansas National Bank here, was arrested today on a Federal warrant charging him with the embezzlement of \$20,000 from the Arkansas National Bank.

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BANK RAIDED FLAWLESSLY

Heavily Armed Band Rob "Hold-up-Proof" Systematically as if Rehearsed

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 24. (AP)—Armed with two automatic three-saved-off shotguns and several .45 caliber pistols, a bank robber, estimated at ten to fifteen in number, broke into City Bank here and escaped with \$60,737. R. C. Hays, manager, said the amount is covered by insurance.

More than a dozen shots were fired by the seven unmasked men who entered the bank. Several of these were fired point blank at officials and clerks but it is believed the first shots were blanks fired to intimidate. No one was injured.

Later the robbers employed real cartridges, bullet marks showing at several places in the new building. A sharpshooting band placed bullets within a three-inch area in a post near the entrance, which the robbers were attempting to summon police.

CONDUCTED SYSTEMATICALLY

The men escaped in two motor cars after a robbery conducted systematically that police believe it had been perfectly rehearsed. The robbers rushed into the bank at 9:15 a.m. and under the direction of a leader they scattered at once to various vantage points. All entrances were covered by shotguns. The fifty bank employees, all working within plain sight of the bank lobby, and a dozen customers, were forced to lie down on the floor before they could grab the cash.

LIKE TRENCH RAID

Mr. Kemper, who served in France in the World War, described the hold-up as like a trench raid. The bandits were crouching, shouting and yelling, yet the raid was perfectly staged.

Mr. Kemper said the bank was thought virtually hold-up proof, but that the robbers, with their speed and system and by so many men, nullified all safety devices.

Employees, working within reach of revolvers, were forced to the floor before they could grab the guns.

BANK IN SUBURB

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 24. (AP)—The Clayton Branch of the Federal Reserve Bank, a suburb, was robbed of \$30,000 today by three men who entered during the night from an office upstairs, made their way to the vault and carried off the money.

Eight employees at their reported for work and compelled them to stay.

Eighty-third Annual Statement

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APOT INQUIRY TO SPREAD OUT

Committee to Hunt in Other Tax Writ

be Looked Into

Seeks to Hold Stewart Until Next Term

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 24. (AP)—An inquiry

Dyott Expedition En Route to Brazil on Search for Lost Explorer



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QUARTET OF ADVENTURERS, WH
WILLIAM DE MELLO, WIRELESS EXPERT

WILL ACCOMPANY COMMANDER DYOTT
W. CERARD MARTIN, JR. SAC, CHICAGO

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SENATE PASSES BILL TO ADMIT ENTRY OF FOREIGN PROFESSORS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24. (P)—Immigration bars against foreign professors would be relaxed under a bill passed today by the Senate. The measure, which now goes to the House, precipitated a tilt over internationalism between Senator Willis, Republican, Ohio, and Senator King, Democrat, Utah. The measure permits the entry of professors under contract to recognized institutions of learning, to remain only during the continuance of that contract and subject to regular reports as to their occupation. It also removes the requirement that they shall have been engaged in teaching abroad for two years immediately preceding their entry.

SCHOOL-TEACHER APES SOCRATES

BUDAPEST (Hungary), Feb. 24. (P)—Draughting a glass of poison in emulation of Socrates, Leo Bruck, school-teacher, died in the midst of his pupils. After he had taken the fatal draught, Bruck addressed his class in these words: "Let me die as did Socrates, far from relatives, in the midst of my beloved pupils."

MEMBERS OF WALES'S HUNTING PARTY HURT

LONDON, Feb. 24. (P)—While hunting with the Quorn hounds in company with the Prince of Wales, the Duke of York and Prince Henry, the Hon. Frederick Heyworth-Croft had a spill at a fence today and was seriously injured in one eye by a kick from his horse.

REED URGES BILLION FOR WATERWAY

Senator Appears Twice in Denver on His Speaking Trip to Pacific Coast

DENVER, Feb. 24. (P)—Appointment of a board of civil engineers to map out a program for improvement of the inland waterways as well as for flood protection was advocated today by Senator Reed of Missouri, before the Denver Chamber of Commerce.

Sagging of Auto Springs No Cue for Dry Agents

BALTIMORE, Feb. 24. (P)—Prohibition agents have no right to stop a motorist and search his car just because his springs sag or a cargo covered with blankets is seen in the machine, United States Commissioner Supplies ruled today in dismissing charges brought against Louis Davidson of Washington. Davidson was arrested recently by dry agents, who found ten cases of assorted whisky in his automobile. They testified that he stopped the machine when it was noticed that the springs were sagging from the weight of the load which had been covered with a blanket.

Salt Lake Apex Airway Beacons Erection Begun

SALT LAKE CITY, Feb. 24. (P)—Preliminary work of erecting beacons for night flying on the Salt Lake apex, Nevada leg of the Los Angeles airmail route, was begun today by W. S. Kenyon of the airways extension of the Federal Light-house Bureau. Kenyon said he first will fly over the route with the regular air pilots and then accompanied by two assistants will drive over it by automobile and select sites for the beacons. Sites for emergency landing fields also will be located. The Los Angeles-apex section of the route already is lighted.

Court Approves Wage Increase

CHICAGO, Feb. 24. (P)—A recent wage award to firemen and hostlers of western railroads was brought before the United States Circuit Court of Appeal today. An increase, amounting to one cent a day for passenger firemen and 35 cents for freight firemen and hostlers, granted by a board of arbitration, was approved by the district court.

MISS BARTLET TAKES NEW MAIL PLANE TRIP

OAKLAND, Feb. 24. (P)—Miss Margaret Bartlett, who arrived here yesterday from New York in an air-mail plane, became first-class postal matter again today. She flew from here to Reno to visit her parents, Judge and Mrs. George A. Bartlett. Miss Bartlett left the Oakland airport at 7 a.m. and arrived in Reno at 8:30 a.m. C. K. Vance, veteran air-mail pilot, flew the plane.

CAR SLIDES OFF SHIP; TWO BELIEVED DEAD

VICTORIA (B. C.), Feb. 24. (P)—Two men are believed to have lost their lives when a touring car in which they were sleeping aboard the Canadian Pacific steam Princess Louise, slid off the forward deck today and plunged into deep water. Peter Olson of Cowichan Bay is registered as owner of the car and was accompanied by John Nicholson of Victoria.

CANADA SAVES CONCILIATION

Delegate Intervenes at Geneva Meeting

Defeats Plan to Draft Arbitration Pact

Chile and Germany Support Contention

GENEVA, Feb. 24. (P)—Canada intervened sharply in the debate at the session of the League of Nations security committee today to save the principle of conciliation. Vice-Chairman Oskar Unden, former Swedish Minister of Foreign Affairs, who presided in the absence of Dr. Eduard Benes, already had pushed through a request to the drafting committee to frame a general treaty of arbitration and conciliation, for which Sweden had submitted draft proposals. He suggested that conciliation already was covered and that a conciliation treaty was not necessary.

CHILE SUPPORTS CANADA

Opposition had been manifested to a general arbitration treaty, and Dr. Riddell, the Canadian representative, pointed out this fact, declaring that it was not certain a majority would support a general arbitration treaty. In this case, he contended, a great opportunity would be lost.

URGES TREATY DRAFTING

The German delegate, Herr von Simson, also gave his support to this attitude. Like Canada, Germany attached the greatest importance to conciliation, and the German delegate urged that a general conciliation treaty should be drafted, even though a general arbitration treaty was not accepted.

The chairman was forced to bow to the weight of opinion, and the drafting committee was asked to frame a model conciliation treaty, though the chairman explained that the committee was not then taking a position for or against such a treaty.

Mrs. Coolidge Ventures Out

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24. (P)—Mrs. Coolidge ventured out of the White House for the first time in almost three weeks today after having been confined by illness to her apartment. Accompanied by her house guest, Frank W. Stearns of Boston, she motored in a closed automobile through Rock Creek Park. She appeared to be in fine spirits and to have fully recovered from the cold and complications which have kept her from social life since she became ill.

FILM BOOKING PLAN CHANGED

'Block' System Improvement Aim of New Contract

Theater Owner May Reject 10 Per Cent of Pictures

Arrangement Will Become Effective May 1, Next

NEW YORK, Feb. 24. (P)—An attempt at improvement of the "block booking" system of selling motion pictures is made in a new standard contract between film distributors and exhibitors, the terms of which were made public today by Gabriel Heat, general counsel for the Motion Picture Producers and Distributors Association of America. The contract, which becomes effective May 1, next, provides that the theater owner may decline to purchase 10 per cent of the pictures offered him in "blocks" of twenty or more if he does not feel that they will appeal to his audience.

Under the system as it now operates, the exhibitor must buy and show all the pictures in the "block" in order to obtain the "block price," whether he thinks his audience will like them or not. The new contract provides, however, that the exhibitor must pay 50 per cent of the rental fee for pictures he rejects, with the privilege of recouping this loss if the distributor sells the rejected films to another exhibitor.

The contract grew out of exhibitors' objections to the block-booking system expressed at the trade practices conference here last October. It was drafted by a committee which met in Chicago beginning January 31, last.

On the committee were Ben Bernstein of Los Angeles; Nathan Yarns of Fall River, Mass.; R. R. Blechle of Kansas City, Mo.; M. Richey of Detroit; Fred Deobing of Cleveland and Edward Schiller of New York.

Motherhood Declared Freed of Pain and Risk

MONTPELLIER (France), Feb. 24. Motherhood without pain or danger, and delivery at the exact time chosen by the attending physician, are asserted by Prof. Paul Delmas of the Maternity Hospital to be insured by a method of medullary anesthesia.

Describing his discovery to the faculty of medicine, Prof. Delmas said that the observation of forty cases demonstrated the method is rapid and without risk for mother or child.

FAMOUS DOG DRIVER TAKES AIR FOR TRAVEL

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 24. (P)—A. A. "Scotty" Allen, famed dog-team driver, left by airplane this morning for Phoenix, where his daughter is reported to be dying. Allen hoped to arrive at Phoenix tonight.

PUZZLED COPS GET LOWDOWN ON HIFALUTIN' SOFT-SOAP GAG

NEW YORK, Feb. 24. (P)—The first police institute in the United States, dedicated to courtesy, fellowship and social service, has been inaugurated by Fordham University as a gift to the city. Seventy-five grizzled police lieutenants, a his pummed by it all, and 100 policemen heard the new doctrine expounded in the classroom on the twenty-eighth floor of the Woolworth Building by Chief Magistrate McAdoo. "The old policeman of the Sullivan type is being replaced by the new policeman with the higher mentality of a Tunney," said Magistrate McAdoo.

Lieutenants assigned to welfare work and all policemen are required to attend the school two hours one night a week.

not forthcoming when called for by the full committee during hearings at Washington.

PRODUCTION OUTGROWING POPULATION

J. H. Tregoe Urges Need of Building Consumption to Keep Equilibrium

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 24. (Exclusive)—J. Harry Tregoe of Los Angeles, former secretary of the National Association of Credit Men, told members of the San Francisco association in an address here tonight that commercial growth has so outdistanced population that "constructive methods" of building up consumption powers constitute a major item of attention if the situation is to be kept in hand.

"Within this generation," he asserted, "population has increased only 55 per cent, but the output of our factories has increased from \$1,250,000,000 to more than \$20,000,000,000; our bank deposits from \$7,250,000,000 to \$51,000,000,000, and annual clearances from \$32,000,000,000 to \$350,000,000,000. "In comparison our factory output and our bank deposits have increased eight times faster than our increases in population. "The problem must not be negatively attacked—that is, by curbing our production genius, but constructively, by keeping distribution within proper costs and building up our consumption powers."

Mine Inquiry Subcommittee Given Setback

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 24. (P)—Investigating the bituminous coal mining situation in the Pittsburgh district the subcommittee of the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee today met its first setback when an official of the Pittsburgh Coal Company refused to answer a question as to the cost of producing coal. At the Moon Run mine of the company the Senators met H. H. White, division manager for the concern. When Senator Wheeler of Montana asked, "How much does it cost to get out coal?" White replied, "I refuse to answer." He maintained his position throughout the questioning, but constructive contempt proceedings will be instituted if the desired information is not forthcoming.

FAMOUS INDIAN DEAD IN DESERT

Two-Year Search for Atoto Closes at Last

GILA BEND (Ariz.) Feb. 24. (P)—A two-year search for Robert Atoto, Hopi Indian and nationally known exponent of ancient tribal dances, ended late yesterday when the body of the tribesman was found in the desert wastes near here. The body was identified today as that of the missing Indian. Two years ago the young brave dropped from sight subsequent to a colorful career in which he appeared throughout the United States in exhibitions of Indian dances staged under the auspices of the Masonic lodge.

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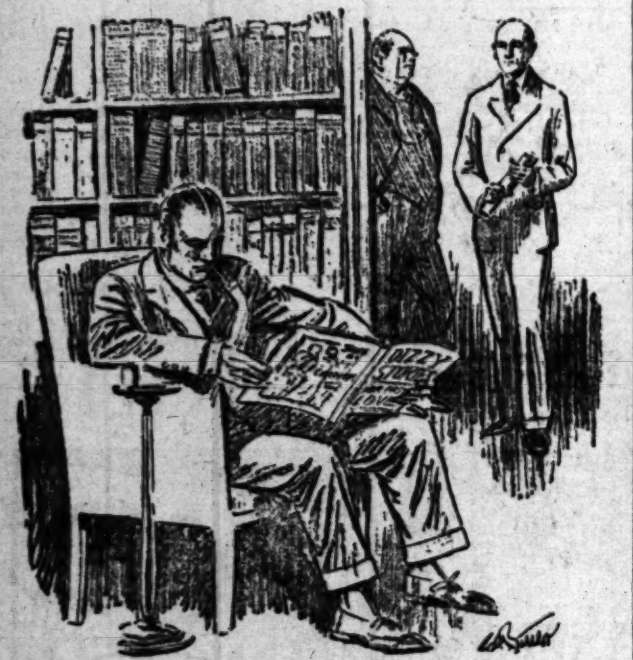
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Once Overs - - By C. D. Batchelor



"Your son looks like a college-bred man."
"He looks like one, he talks like one, but hang it, I can't make him think like one."

CHUCKLES from LIFE

A Shriker
Mrs. Parke: My husband doesn't look well—he seems quite thin and tired.
Mrs. Lane: You haven't said that to him, have you?
Mrs. Parke: Oh dear, no; I thought you would rather tell him yourself.

Filing System
Husband: What's the matter, dear?
Wife: I'm wondering where I can put my bathing suit so that I can find it next summer.
Husband: Two inexperienced men wanted for taxi driving. Apply, etc.
Regina (Saskatchewan) Leader. We know just the very men.

In The Beginning
One of the apes had proved that he could hang by one paw longer than the rest, which distinction gave him the right to express publicly his opinion on other subjects, of which he knew nothing or less.
"Is it your opinion," asked a representative of the Jungledale Wool, "that any of our remote progeny will degenerate into mankind?"
"Is it not," said the ape indignantly, thereby founding fundamentalism.

A Frenchman
A Frenchman recently invented a radio set to be carried in an umbrella. But the umbrella that won't shut up is not a recent invention.

THE GUMPS



GASOLINE ALLEY



Snapshots of a Man Remembering to Mail a Letter By Gluyas Williams



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ISH LAD ENDS SCRAP IN FIRST

of Ghetto Takes Pair on Button and is Out
Earns Right to Bid for Lightweight Title
Audience of 18,000 Fans Sets Record for Year

BY EDWARD J. NEIL
Associated Press Sports Writer
NEW YORK, Feb. 24. (AP)—A new sensation—Young Jimmy McLarnin, the baby Irish face and plaid minnie—came out of the West tonight and flattened Sid Terris, a 115-pounder, in the first round of a fight for the world's lightweight championship and scheduled to battle Sammy Mandell for the crown next summer. Little Celtic McLarnin, who has been in the world's spotlight since he was 18, was the most dramatic of the night, crashing full force into Terris' chin.

TWO TINY BOLTS
It was just a little falling and a little movement of the chin that put the lightning into Terris. Then as Sid tried his best, another tiny bolt of lightning, traveling so short a distance, crashed full force into Terris' chin. McLarnin's chin was under him with a crash, and he fell. Terris dropped to the floor, head followed.

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NEW YORK BOND PRICES

Table with multiple columns listing bond prices, including Treasury bonds, corporate bonds, and municipal bonds. Includes sub-sections for 'NEW YORK' and 'BOSTON'.

MARKET AVERAGES

Table showing market averages for various stock indices and bond yields, including 'NEW YORK', 'BOSTON', and 'LOS ANGELES'.

DAILY EASTERN CITRUS MARKETS

Table detailing citrus market prices for various regions including California, Florida, and Texas, listing different grades and varieties.

SAN FRANCISCO

Table listing market prices and exchange rates for San Francisco, including gold, silver, and foreign currencies.

CLEARINGS, MONEY

Table showing clearing and money market data, including bank deposits, withdrawals, and interest rates.

Public Utilities advertisement: 'We have a widely diversified list of public utility bonds and stocks...'

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CHICAGO STOCKS table: List of stock prices for various companies in Chicago.

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STANDARD OILS table: List of prices for various Standard Oil products.

COFFEE MARKET table: List of prices for various coffee grades.

SUGAR MARKET table: List of prices for various sugar products.

FLAXSEED MARKET table: List of prices for flaxseed.

SALT LAKE MINES table: List of prices for various salt lake mines.

BUTTER AND NEWS

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High.	Low.	Div.	Stocks—	Sales.	High.	Low.	Last.	Chg.
4	3		Norwalk Tire & Rubber	100	3	2		%
43½	34	2	Oil Well Supply	800	25½	24½	24½	+ %
176½	149	2	Oil Well Supply	100	149	147½	147½	+ %
150½	147½	2	Gill Elevator	200	148½	147½	147½	+ %
135½	124	2	Oil Well Supply	100	124½	123½	123½	+ %
79½	74½	40	Outlet Cos.	100	112½	112½	112½	+ %
			Owens Bottle	100	112½	112½	112½	+ %
			F. & A. Mils. (ex. S-30)	100	112½	112½	112½	+ %
116	114		Pacific Oil stock	100	114	114	114	+ %
127	121	2	Pacific Tel. & Tel. (n.l.)	10	120½	120½	120½	+ %
74½	69	2	Pacific Tel. & Tel. (n.l.)	10	69	69	69	+ %
46	37½	2	Pan-Am. Pac. Reg.	3,700	40½	39½	39½	+ %
117½	111	8	Paramount Film, Lasky	4,000	110	110½	110½	+ %

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80%	80%	7	Real Silk Hosiery pfd.. (s.l.)	300	94	94	94	—	34	95
7%	5%	Reis & Co. B.....	400	87½	89½	6	+	1½	88
.....	7	Reis & Co. 1st pfd.....	200	65	64	65	+	1½	65
.....	Reis & Co. 2nd.....	200	65	64	65	+	1½	65

237 1/2	23 1/2	1b	Remington Rand	12,000	20 1/2	21	21 1/2	- 1/2	22 1/2
237 1/2	23 1/2	1b	Reo Motor Car	1,400	24	23 1/2	23 1/2	- 1/2	23 1/2
237 1/2	23 1/2	4	Republic Iron & Steel..	1,200	61	59 1/2	61	+ 1/2	60 1/2
237 1/2	23 1/2		Rexnolds Nuring	700	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2

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21%	2	Seneca Copper	400	21%	21%	21%		
92%	40%	Shattuck, F. G.	500	83	81%	83	+	81%
38%	23%	Shell Union Oil	300	25%	25%	25%	+	25
40%	40%	Shubert Theater	300	83	61%	61%	+	61
46%	39%	Simmons Co.	5,700	40%	38%	38%	+	38
21%	18	Simon Peterman	100	91%	91%	91%	+	91
21%	17%	Standard Con. Oil	5,500	20%	19%	19%	—	19%
23%	23	Stell's Oil	100	38	38	38		38
17	12%	Sunder Packing	200	14%	14%	14%		14

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100%	27%	1.6b	Standard Oil N. Y.	31,100	25%	20%	20%	+	+	+
100%	25%	1.6b	Standard Oil Ind.	31,100	25%	20%	20%	+	+	+
75	12%	—	Standard Oil K. C.	2,510	6%	5%	4%	+	+	+
75	12%	—	Standard Plate G. M. (a.l.)	2,000	30	37%	37%	+	+	+
100%	15%	8	Standard Oil of Ind.	1,000	10	13%	13%	+	+	+
100%	15%	8	Standard-Warner Supply	2,000	8	8%	8%	81%	+	+
100%	44	8	Stenberg Corporation	200	43%	45%	45%	+	+	+
100%	57	8	Stuebeler Corp.	14,800	60%	60%	60%	+	+	+
100%	100%	7	Sturges & Co.	1,000	13%	13%	13%	100%	+	+
100%	5	—	Swanwick Bank	100	7%	7%	7%	—	—	—
100%	5	—	Swanwick Co.	270	27%	27%	27%	—	—	—
75	21	1a	Swanwick Oil	1,000	6%	6%	6%	—	—	—
100%	11%	—	Swanwick Co. of Am.	2,000	15%	15%	15%	15%	+	+
100%	15%	—	Swanwick	100	10%	10%	10%	10%	—	—
100%	15%	—	Swanwick	100	10%	10%	10%	10%	—	—

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1915	45	1	Trans & W. Ill. Ste.	2,100	52	50	31 1/4	-1	117 1/2
1914	48	4	Tram City Rapid Trav.	100	23	20	25	0	117 1/2
71 1/4	65	....	Underwood Bldg.	1,800	67 1/2	64 1/2	120 1/2	0	117 1/2
145 1/2	130 1/2	....	Union Carbide	2,800	123 1/2	120 1/2	131 1/4	+ 1 1/4	117 1/2
105 1/2	100 1/2	2	Union Oil of Cal.	3,200	47 1/2	44 1/2	45 1/2	0	117 1/2
87 1/2	82 1/2	....	Union Pacific	2,000	85	85	85	+ 1/4	117 1/2
45 1/2	36 1/2	100	United Mercantl	100	39 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2	0	117 1/2
100	100	....	United States	1,000	100	100	100	0	117 1/2
100	107	0	United Clear & pld ..	100	107	107	107	+ 1/4	117 1/2
50 1/2	100	....	United Drug	200	52 1/2	50	50	-1/4	117 1/2
100	100 1/2	2 1/2	United Fruit	1,000	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2	0	117 1/2
11	5	....	United Wooded (a.l.)	50	10	9	9	- 1/4	117 1/2

14313	130	5163	United Fruit	500	128	127	128	+ 1	127
14314	130	5164	U. S. Corp.	400	22	22	22	+ 1	22
14315	494	4	U. S. Hoffman Busch	400	22	21	22	+ 1	22
14316	1029	8	U. S. Industrial Alcohol	17,000	112	108 1/2	110 1/2	+ 1 1/2	108 1/2
14317	130	5165	U. S. Leather	400	22	22	22	+ 1	22
14318	44	5	U. S. Leather & Rubber	400	22	22	22	+ 1	22
14319	103 1/2	5	U. S. Leather prior to 1914	400	22	22	22	+ 1	22
14320	130	5166	U. S. Rubber	400	22	22	22	+ 1	22
14321	44	5	U. S. Rubber	39,100	48 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2	+ 1	49 1/2
14322	104 1/2	8	U. S. Rubber list 1914	4,200	28 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	+ 1	29 1/2
14323	130	5167	U. S. Rubber & Tire Co.	400	22	22	22	+ 1	22
14324	130	5168	U. S. Steel	50,000	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2	+ 1	104 1/2
14325	130	5169	U. S. Steel prior	400	128 1/2	128 1/2	128 1/2	+ 1	128 1/2
14326	130	5170	Universal	400	22	22	22	+ 1	22
14327	130	5171	Univ. Pictures list 1914 (a.l.)	130	20	20	20	+ 1	20

27%	22%	1	Oil, Fuel & Lubricant.	300	22	27%	21%	+ 1	70%
28%	28%	8	Univ. Power & L. "A."	300	28	28%	28%	+ 1	70%
94%	90	4b	Vanadium Chlor.	35,400	91%	79	79%	+ 1	70%
94%	90	4b	Vinyl Chloride	35,400	91%	79	79%	+ 1	70%
94%	90%	4	Vinyl Tacking Machine	45,200	93	91%	90%	+ 1	70%
126%	100%	6	Vinyl Tacking Gr. pld	5,800	126	124	126%	+ 1	70%
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106%	100%	4	Virginia-Car. Chemical.	500	105%	105%	105%	+ 1	70%
106%	100%	4	V. C. Chem. Co. pr. pld	500	99%	99%	99%	+ 1	70%
111%	100%	4	V. C. Chem. Co. pld	500	100%	100%	100%	+ 1	70%
25%	21%	10b	Virginia-Car. Chem. Co.	1,100	24	23%	24	+ 1	70%
106%	100%	4	Viridan pld	1,000	106	106%	106%	+ 1	70%
27%	22%	1	Vitaban	(a.l.)	27	27%	27%	+ 1	70%

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112%	100%	7	West Penn. El. & P. Co. (d.)	50	117%	115%	115%	+	115
102%	101%	6	West Penn. El. & P. Co. (d.)	50	101%	101%	101%	+	101
100%	100%	6	West Penn. El. & P. Co. (d.)	50	100%	100%	100%	+	100
100%	100%	6	West Penn. El. & P. Co. (d.)	50	100%	100%	100%	+	100
177%	165	8	Western Union Tel.	600	100%	100%	100%	+	100
157%	145%	2	Westinghouse Air Br.	1,500	51%	50%	51%	+	50
147%	147%	1	Westinghouse Air Br.	1,500	51%	50%	51%	+	50
14%	14%	1	Western Elec. Inst.	100	13%	13%	13%	+	13
35%	34%	1	White Earth Oil	400	20%	20%	20%	+	20
35%	34%	1	White Earth Oil	400	20%	20%	20%	+	20
30%	24%	2b	White R. Min. & Cbs.	400	24%	24%	24%	+	24
36	36	1	White Sewing Machine.	5,000	37%	37%	37%	+	37
28%	17%	1	Wilcoxon	5,000	28%	28%	28%	+	28
95%	92%	1	Wilbur-Oreland pld.	100	94%	94%	94%	+	94

10%	11%	Wilson & Co.	700	13%	14%	14%	—	14%
10%	12	Wilson & Co.	700	13%	14%	14%	—	14%
7 1/2%	6%	Wilson & Co. pfd.	700	12%	12%	12%	—	12%
10%	14%	5	6,700	13%	17%	17%	—	17%
10%	10%	Woodworth Co.	100	10%	10%	10%	—	10%
10%	10%	Do. pfd "A"	100	10%	10%	10%	—	10%
10%	13	1	14,300	12%	12%	12%	—	12%
10%	10%	Wright Aves.	700	12%	12%	12%	—	12%
10%	10%	Wright, Jr. (Wm.)	700	12%	12%	12%	—	12%
10%	10%	Yellow Trust & Cash.	6,500	10%	10%	10%	—	10%
10%	10%	Yountsboro S. & T. S.	200	10%	10%	10%	—	10%

x—Ee divided. w—Ee quarterly. a.l.—Odd lots. a.—Firm extra. b.—Including cash. c.—Partly stock. i.—Ee, chiefly in common stock. f.—Paid last year. b.—Paid last year. b.—Paid last year.

Total sales-1,783,700 shares; previous day, 1,706,100; week ago, 2,919,500; year ago, 2,604,700; January 7 date, 97,344,200; year ago, 76,417,600; two years ago, 78,383,500.

1400: veals steady to strong; good lights. 13.00@14.00. 0000 13.50.

Hogs. 9000. opening slow, strong and mostly 10@15e higher; early sales butchers and lights lighter. 7.60@7.85; some 7.50@7.75; butchers down to 7.50; early top, 7.85; nows around 6.75 or better; pigs steady at 7.00.

Light weights up to 7.50.

Cattle. 300. Most killin' classes around 12.00; 1300-pound steers, 12.10; odd lots steers and yearlings, 12.20; down to 12.00; heavy beef cows up to 10.25; others, 7.50@8.00; bulk all cullers, 4.25@4.50; veal top, 14.00; stockers and feeder calves, in fair demand.

Sheep, 5000; active, steady to strong; 490 culls 68-pound woolled lambs, 18.50; a few old lots down to 15.00; culls, 10.50 to 12.00; sheep scarcer; old lots cheaper, 9.55.

ST. JOSEPH, Feb. 24.—Hogs, 3500; mostly 10@12c higher; top .80; bulk 17 to 230-pound averages, 7.80@8.00; most 240 to 290-pound butchers, 7.50@7.75; few weightier kinds down to 7.35; packing sows steady, largely 6.50@6.75; smooth

Sheep, 4000; lambs fairly active; mostly 25c higher; choice woolled hams; weight averages, 15.75; 91-pound culls, 13.16; aged stock firm; fat ewes, 10.00.

PORTLAND, Feb. 24.—Cattle and calves; 29; hogs, 100. No sheep and lambs. All markets steady.

Twenty miles of the new Home-to-Naples railroad are subterranean.

**Wheat Futures
Point Up
Early Drop**

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Wheat futures pointed down today, with the first hour's trading in the price of 100 bushels of No. 2 hard wheat at 1.00 1/2.

...the casting being cut at 1450 feet. No water was in the fluid, and some was bled out of the hole, but was lacking, and it was feared that the well would be lost. The last was according to the crew is drilling Edition No. 4 well probably the next to get a test.

market drove a heavy
morality with less interest
and with not much of a
1910s or before and
essentially unchanged, forcing
oil sellers on the spot.

RAISE OF RENT
When—Open, 2 1/2
March—Close, 2 1/2
APRIL—Close, 2 1/2
MAY—Close, 2 1/2
JUNE—Close, 2 1/2

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feet, but no showing of water was found in the lower series of sand and gravel just west of hole, and it was estimated to about 223 feet, the present level of the stream. The well has about 100 feet of penetration, and if the water is not troubled with sand, it is a good prospect, since it is believed that the water can be overcome and that the well has a chance to make a producer.

Western feed lots
2793 cars
600 cars last year
five years ago. For the
1961 inst. 576 cars
as compared with 195
week last year and 411
ago.

Western Colorado feed lots
the bulk of the shippers
with a total of 1458 cars.
The section
about

Arkansas Valley, 216.7
approximately an equal
of sheep cast as it does
from shipments from this
the first of the year
all over. The Scottsbluff
shows the greatest increase
with shipments exceed
more than 800

Angeleno Found Dead in Room at Chicago Hotel

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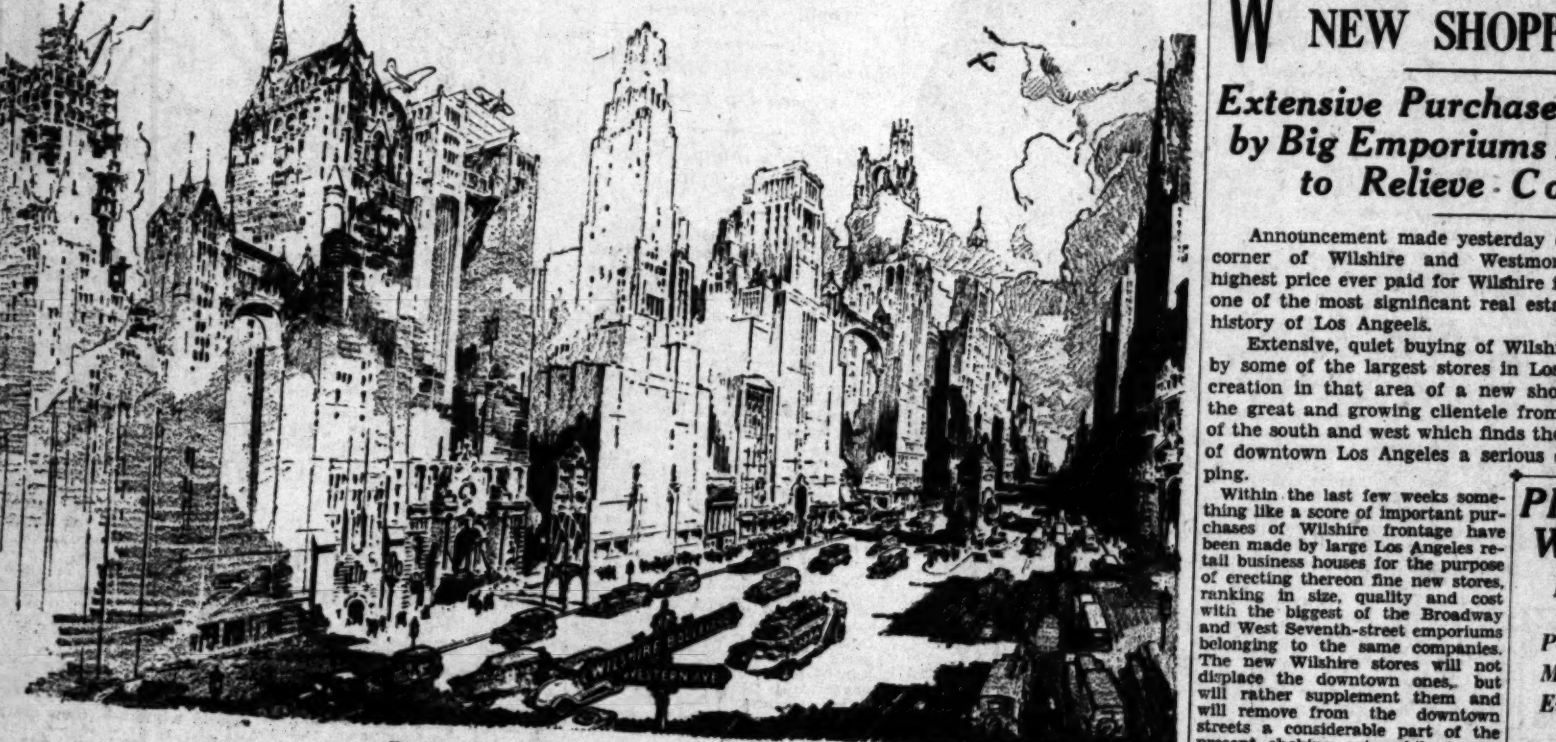
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Los Angeles Times

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A Dream That is Coming True



Wilshire Boulevard visualized as the Fifth Avenue of Los Angeles. This drawing, by Charles H. Owens of The Times staff, was made and published in The Times about two years ago in connection with the Wilshire Boulevard zoning fight which resulted in the defeat of business retail stores are now buying store sites, may look like in a few years.

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WILSHIRE BOULEVARD A
NEW SHOPPING CENTER

Extensive Purchases of Store Sites
by Big Emporiums Presages Move
to Relieve Congestion

Announcement made yesterday of the sale of the southeast corner of Wilshire and Westmoreland boulevards for the highest price ever paid for Wilshire frontage has brought to light one of the most significant real estate movements in the recent history of Los Angeles.

Extensive, quiet buying of Wilshire district business property by some of the largest stores in Los Angeles presages the early creation in that area of a new shopping district to help serve the great and growing clientele from the fine residence districts of the south and west which finds the congested traffic conditions of downtown Los Angeles a serious obstacle to downtown shopping.

Within the last few weeks something like a score of important purchases of Wilshire frontage have been made by large Los Angeles retail business houses for the purpose of erecting thereon the new stores, ranking in size, quality and cost with the biggest of the Broadway and West Seventh-street emporiums belonging to the same companies.

The new Wilshire stores will not displace the downtown ones, but will rather supplement them and will remove from the downtown streets a considerable part of the present choking automobile traffic, thus greatly increasing retail trade through making shopping easy and convenient.

RECORD PRICE PAID
The sale at Wilshire and Westmoreland was made by the Western Construction Company through Metcalf & Ryan for one of the largest stores in the city. The property has 150 feet frontage on Wilshire and 220 on Westmoreland. The price paid was \$3400 per front foot, or \$510,000 altogether—a record on the boulevard for retail property.

While details of the store's plans are lacking, it is known that a weight-limit Class A emporium is to be built on the Wilshire-Westmoreland land corner, a modern facility for retail merchandising, including a double basement for the parking of customers' cars.

Another extensive purchase of Wilshire frontage for the same use of 200 feet on the south side of Wilshire, 210 on Westmoreland and 115 on Wilshire frontage, this property was owned by Emma Summers.

Still another sale to the same Metcalf & Ryan was made through the Shatto Place and the subject of Shatto Place, 180 feet on Wilshire and 167 on Shatto, owned by Charles Cooper.

Another large downtown store is negotiating for the purchase of the property extended from Ardmore to Kingsley on the south side of Wilshire, 270 feet fronting on Wilshire and 145 on each of the other streets.

The northeast corner of Virgil and Wilshire is under option to still another large retail property, the local realtor reports. The lot is 170 feet on Wilshire and 130 on Virgil.

One of the leading specialty houses contemplates the erection of a new store on property held under option at the northwest corner of Wilshire and Harvard, 140 feet on Wilshire and 100 on Harvard.

A ninety-nine-year lease on the property at the southwest corner of Wilshire and New Hampshire, 150 feet on Wilshire and 100 on New Hampshire, is reported under negotiation by Henry O'Melveny. This piece has a frontage of 150 feet on Wilshire and 200 on New Hampshire.

At Harvard and Wilshire, the southwest corner with a frontage of 125 feet on Wilshire and 200 on Harvard, is reported to be the subject of a lease negotiation between R. E. Cotton, as owner, and W. M. Garland, an important mercantile enterprise.

NEW WILSHIRE SKYLINE
The Troy Motor Car Company has ordered plans drawn by Morgan, Walls & Clements, architects, for a five-story, Mayan-style building to be erected on the southeast corner of Wilshire and Shatto Place. The Auburn Automobile Company plans a five-story building at the northeast corner of Wilshire and Mariposa.

The United Pacific Securities Corporation will build a Class A height-limit apartment-house costing \$2,000,000 at the northeast corner of Wilshire and Commercial. This will constitute an imposing addition to the many magnificent apartment-houses already on Wilshire.

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LEONARD'S RITES
Tentatively Set

Funeral services for R. T. Leonard, founder and president of Leonard & Co., one of Los Angeles' oldest stock and bond houses, probably will be conducted Monday. Complete arrangements will be announced later.

Mr. Leonard died at his home, 5401 Ninth avenue, Thursday morning of pneumonia contracted on a business trip. He had been ill for two weeks. He had been a member of the company since 1891, and since then has been prominently identified with its industrial and mining enterprises.

His successor as president of the company has not yet been announced. Mr. Leonard leaves his widow and one son.

THE BLESSED RAIN
We are getting to the point where we give a bow and a welcome to every cloud that looks like rain. But there is no reason to be discouraged about the weather. Two years ago it was dry as a bone past this time of year; then rains came in floods. There is still plenty of time for rain when it will do the most good.

OUR GHOST
A great distinction has come into our lives. At our Tijuana place we have a ghost. It isn't one of the best grades of ghosts. I could have wished for a noble lady who went about at night with a gown looking for her murdered child. This one coughs; so we are assured. I haven't heard him. But I have named him Algren—"Coughing Algy"—for an affectionate intimate name.

The only thing that worries me is that Algy might turn out to be a young lady ghost. In the circumstances do you suppose it would be a lack of tact on our part to speak of him as "H"? One likes to be right; but never tactless.

AUNT HET
BY ROBERT GUILLON

Overlooking of Julian Petroleum Corporation Stock was a philanthropic move on the part of those who flooded the market with the pany.

This naive statement was made by Lewis and Chief Deputy District Attorney Davis last May and was read into the record yesterday in Superior Court, where Lewis and nine others are on trial before Judge Julian.

"Who is there in your organization who did forward stridently to the overissue?" Lewis was asked by Davis.

"The stock was overissued for the benefit of the company and stockholders to stabilize the market, thus preventing brokers from selling out narrow margins," Lewis responded, according to the statement.

However, Lewis part of his statement, Berman, also known as Jack Berman, and E. H. Rosenberg had acted as brokers and other holdings which he, Lewis, was unable to account for unless they obtained it.

OCHS GIVES TALK FROM CITY PULPIT

New York "Times" Owner Addresses Large Throng at Temple B'nai B'rith

Adolph Ochs, owner and publisher of the New York Times, who spoke ex-cathedra to thousands of his readers every day, last night spoke in person to a throng that filled every available seat and pew in Temple B'nai B'rith at Ninth and Hope streets.

Taking the pulpit at request of Dr. Edgar F. Maguin, rabbi of the temple, the New York publisher made his only public address in Los Angeles.

Part of his talk dealt with the common relationship of Christianity and Judaism, part with the growth of the latter religion, particularly as related to the spiritual life of its followers, and part with the Jewish faith.

He was introduced by Dr. Maguin, who said that the speaker was a man of high character and high intelligence, and that his address was a most timely and valuable contribution to the spiritual life of the Jewish people.

He spoke in behalf of local interest and support for the Jewish community at Cincinnati. He stated that about \$200,000 of the desired \$500,000 endowment fund already has been collected. He announced that William Fox of this city has given \$250,000 for the fund, and that other donors are interesting themselves in the school in a definite and purposeful manner.

MAX FACTOR HONORED
The International Cosmetics Society, now in convention in Paris, has elected Max Factor, local cosmetics specialist, as honorary vice-president. Mr. Factor was informed of his election by a cable yesterday.

The society is making a special effort to regain the confidence of the public in the cosmetics industry, and Mr. Factor is being honored for his efforts in this regard.

BOASTS OF EXPLOIT
Manila was given a pardon by the Governor of Hawaii on condition that he leave the Territory. He was sentenced following the shooting of a policeman during the progress of a strike among the plantation workers of the Hawaiian Islands.

Manila's papers show that he was especially assigned to the two projects. A national tour, which had been planned to bring him with expenses paid by the league, had been abandoned so that he could work in Stockton and San Francisco.

His papers also showed that he had attempted to convert the Filipino Federation of America to Communism, and one letter, written to the secretary of the league, declares that he was successful in this effort.

He had conferred with Rafael Palma, president of the University of the Philippines, and had been successful in securing a loan to operate the deluxe airplane passenger line because of the favorable conditions existing for the service.

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NEW PLANET DISCOVERIES DISCLOSED

Dr. Aiken Declares More Minor Ones Being Found Near Earth Constantly

PASADENA, Feb. 24. — New minor planets in the solar system of which the earth is a part, constantly are being discovered by astronomers, and it is the belief of scientists that these smaller bodies as well as the earth and larger planets had a common origin in the sun itself, said Dr. R. G. Aiken of the Lick Observatory, in addressing an audience at the California Institute of Technology tonight on the subject, "Our Planet Neighbors."

It is believed these bodies were hurled from the sun in ages long past and that they gradually cooled and solidified until they reached their present status. Just how this department from the sun occurred, and how recently similar actions have occurred are problems that still puzzle scientists.

The eight major planets are Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus, Neptune, Mercury, Venus, Mars and the earth, but Dr. Aiken said that in all probability, there are other planets which have not yet been observed.

The speaker described conditions on Mars as most similar to those on earth and expressed the belief that a low form of animal life may exist there. There is every likelihood of life on planets in the universe, although these planets are not observable with present astronomical instruments, he said.

The sun is not an important star in the entire heavens, but it is all-important to us, he said, because it supplies all the earth's energy, and holds this planet, along with the others named, in their respective orbits.

CHANGED AGAIN
Superior Judge Fricks forced the amendment of the information to charge manslaughter and violation of the Penal Code.

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COAST AIR LINE IMPORTANT

Los Angeles-San Francisco Venture Criterion; Guggenheim Fund Backs Enterprise

The opening of the model passenger airplane line between Los Angeles and San Francisco scheduled for May 1 is regarded by Harry F. Guggenheim, president of the Guggenheim Fund for the Promotion of Aeronautics, who arrived in Los Angeles yesterday, as the most important experiment in the interest of commercial aviation being undertaken in the United States today.

The line, which will be operated by the Western Air Express, Inc., has been made possible by the advancement of an equipment loan to the company from the Guggenheim fund. Mr. Guggenheim said the local company had been selected to operate the deluxe airplane passenger line because of the favorable conditions existing for the service.

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Harry F. Guggenheim

Dr. McMillan Convicted of Murdering Mrs. Appleby

LIFE TERM FOR SLAYER VOTED

Middle-Aged Doctor Evades Hangman's Noose

First Ballot Shows Jurors All for Conviction

Sentence to be Imposed by Court on Tuesday

Dr. Charles McMillan, middle-aged physician, was found guilty of the murder of Mrs. Amelia Appleby, wealthy widow, by a jury of eight women and four men yesterday in Superior Judge Edmonds' court. The verdict carried with it a recommendation for life imprisonment, which saves the doctor from hanging.

The jury was given the case a few minutes after 11 a.m. yesterday and returned their verdict at 1:30 p.m. Members of the body said later that all the jurors concurred in the physician's guilt on their first ballot, but five ballots were taken before an agreement was reached on the degree of punishment. On one ballot two of the jurors voted for a verdict of first-degree murder without recommendation.

SMILES FAINTLY
The slayer of Mrs. Appleby heard the verdict without show of emotion. His wife, Mrs. Katherine McMillan, hurried to his side to offer consolation and he patted her on the shoulder, smiling faintly.

Judge Edmonds next Tuesday at 9:30 a.m. as the time for passing sentence on the convicted man, and Defense Attorneys Glesler, Helms and Mayo, it was learned, will file notice that they will appeal the case.

The trial of Dr. McMillan has been going on in Judge Edmonds' court for the last two weeks, the prosecution, represented by Dep. Atty. Gen. Mendez and Crail, weaving a net of circumstantial evidence about the accused man that resulted in his conviction. Mrs. Appleby, the widow of John P. Appleby, wealthy Chicago inventor of machinery, was found wrapped in a place of canvas near San Fernando on December 26, last. It was several days before her body was identified, but deputy sheriffs soon after took into custody Dr. McMillan and asserted that all the evidence pointed toward his guilt. Despite repeated questionings, however, the physician maintained his innocence.

IS FORMER CONVICT

At the trial the prosecution produced witnesses and evidence which they asserted established that Dr. McMillan and Mrs. Appleby had been living together, that they quarreled and that the doctor wished to gain possession of Mrs. Appleby's estate. Witnesses testified that the doctor was the last man seen with the woman at her home at 229 North Robert Boulevard, Dept. of Sheriff Croushore, one of the chief investigators for the Sheriff's office in the case, produced a mass of other circumstantial evidence for the state.

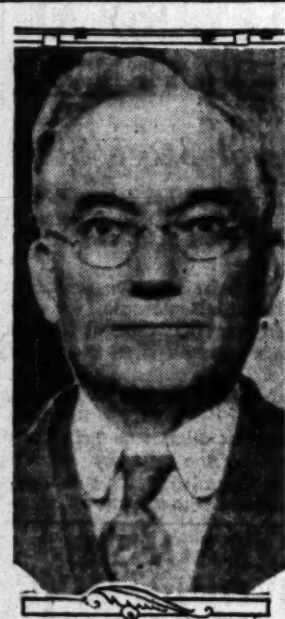
When the trial ended yesterday Judge Edmonds instructed the jury that they must bring in a verdict of first-degree murder or an acquittal. He said that the facts of the case would not permit a manslaughter or a second-degree murder verdict. He stipulated, however, that the jury might modify the first-degree murder charge with a recommendation for life imprisonment.

Dr. McMillan is 57 years of age. He formerly was convicted twice in Texas of violation of the Harrison Narcotic Act and served one term in the Federal penitentiary at Leavenworth. His next wife, Appleby, about a year ago.

FRENCH TEACHER WILL SPEAK ON JOAN OF ARC

A public lecture on the subject of Joan of Arc will be delivered by Helen B. Postgate of the department of French at the University of California at Los Angeles tonight at the Los Angeles Public Library. The French heroine will be discussed with reference to her position in literature with specific consideration of her appearance in the works of Anatole France, Bernard Shaw and Joseph Delteil. The lecture is free.

HE DODGES GALLOW'S FOR KILLING WOMAN



Dr. Charles McMillan

Women Here Lead East in Dress Styles

Los Angeles women are ahead of women in eastern cities with the latest style frocks on the streets due to the advantages offered by California weather. Dr. Florence May Moore, assistant professor of economics at the University of Southern California, stated on her return yesterday from a clothes and style survey across the country.

Dr. Moore attended the annual convention of the National Retail Dry Goods Association conducted in New York City last week. It was through her attendance there and personal survey that she is in close touch with foremen of feminine styles. She also interviewed economic and retail merchandising professors at Harvard University, Columbia University, New York University and University of Pittsburgh.

THEATER MAN GREETED

Stars and officials of the cinema world greeted Col. Fred Levy, Keith-Albee franchise holder in Louisville, upon his arrival here yesterday afternoon to complete final plans with Sol Lesser, president of Principal Theaters Corporation, Inc., of America, for the construction of thirty motion-picture theaters in Tennessee and Kentucky. This boosts the list of Principal Theaters close to 100.

A reception committee awaited the arrival at 3:35 p.m. of Col. Levy, who is vice-president of Principal Theaters, and Mrs. Levy, escorting them to the Baltimore. The committee included "Jackie" Cogan, Jr., Jack Cogan, Sr., Pauline Starke, Johnny Walker, Made Wayne, Jack White, Marion Byron, Ivan Kahn, Eddie Brandtlatier, Rudolph J. Warner, George Behrendt, Sam Behrendt, Mike Rosenberg, Frederick Baruch, Henry Ginsberg, Myrt Blum and Sol Lesser.

NEW FIGHT OVER BALM IMPENDING

Attorney for ex-Wife of Sunday, Jr., Will Seek to Upset Mrs. Day's Victory

The judgment for \$10,000 which Mrs. Olive Day obtained Thursday in her suit against Mrs. "Billy" Sunday, Jr., for alienation of the affections of her husband, George Day, former policeman, will not be collected without further legal contest. This became apparent yesterday when Attorney Roger Marchetti filed notice that on the 29th inst. before Judge Rankin in Superior Court, he will move the court to vacate the judgment and set aside Mrs. Sunday's default.

Court attaches express surprise Wednesday when the action came on for trial before Judge Sprout as a default case, but it was being made. Marchetti, in an affidavit in support of his motion, declares that no one was more surprised than he, because he said he had thought that an answer and demurrer to the complaint were before the court. Marchetti retained the services of a written agreement with Mrs. Day's attorney extending the time in which he might answer or demur to the suit; that the 19th inst. he had the answer served; that opposing counsel had declined to accept service, and that he therefore had sent the answer to the clerk's office to be filed with affidavits of service. The answer denies the charges.

Marchetti says he assumed that no answer had been filed before any default was taken, having heard nothing to the contrary from Mrs. Day's attorney, but that the record shows his opinion, despite their agreement extending the time, had taken place a default about a half-hour before the answer was filed.

Marchetti asks leave to plead a demurrer also, wherein among other things he will argue that the action was outlived because it was complained of were asserted to have taken place in 1928, and no complaint was filed until 1929.

Blind Man One Robbery Victim

Burglars and hold-up men have not the least regard for whom they pick on, it was revealed in two reports to Central Police Station yesterday.

J. G. Gorman, a blind man, makes a living by playing an accordion. Today he is a man without an occupation for he entered his room at 121 East Fourth street and stole his musical instrument. The accordion is valued at \$350.

When S. Imamoto, a Japanese living at 625 Kohler street, reported to police that he had been robbed of \$25 he thought he had caught trouble on his hands. On his way home he stopped at the bank, drew \$20 and returned to his home where he found two more hold-up men awaiting him. The robbers escaped.

Police Captain Given Pension

The Pension Commission notified the Police Commission yesterday that the request of Police Captain McClary for retirement on pension has been approved. Capt. McClary's pension will be \$151 a month.

Chief Davis recently gave Capt. McClary the alternative of retiring or having charges of insubordination preferred against him. A few days later Chief Davis forwarded the captain's request to the Police Commission, which in turn sent it to the Pension Commission.

Pair to Be Tried for Gem Theft

Sobbing loudly as their attorney pleaded for a reduction of bail, R. C. Froman, 47 years of age, and his wife, Rachael, 51, were tried yesterday by Municipal Judge Baird on a grand theft charge.

Approximately 750 rings and platinum rings, lost from a truck owned by the E. W. Reynolds Jewelry Company almost a year ago, were found by the Vroomans and sold at local pawn shops, according to testimony offered by Deputy Sheriff Brown and Lutz.

With approval of Dep. Dist. Atty. Holland, bail was reduced by Judge Baird to \$500 for each defendant.

HARBOR STORY TOLD

IN FILM PRODUCTION

VARIOUS ACTIVITIES OF PORT SHOWN IN FIVE REELS BY COMMISSIONERS

A film prepared by the Board of Harbor Commissioners showing the various types of activity at the harbor will be shown daily for the benefit of the public in the lecture room of the Chamber of Commerce, beginning tomorrow at 1 p.m.

This film, which is five reels in length, shows the important industries at the harbor. The oil industry is traced through its various stages of drilling and piping for shipment and an analysis made to show why Los Angeles Harbor ranks first among the ports of the world in bulk of oil shipment.

Los Angeles also ranks first in receipt of lumber and ties with Boston for first place in the types of business are among those depicted in this educational picture.

NEWLYWEDS GOING EAST ON HONEYMOON



Mrs. Walter Murphy

AUTO MAN AND BRIDE PLAN TOUR

Walter Murphy to Spend Honeymoon on Motor Trip Across Continent

A transcontinental motor trip from San Francisco to New York will feature the honeymoon of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Murphy.

It was made known by the couple a few days ago that they will arrive in the northern city from Europe, where they were married a few days ago.

After a few days in San Francisco Mr. Murphy, who is an automobile dealer in Los Angeles, and his wife, who is a Broadway actress, will leave for New York to visit the bride's relatives. Later they plan to return to Pasadena, where they will make their home.

True Sisters Plan Benefit

With Conrad Nagel as master of ceremonies and motion-picture players as entertainers, one of the latest charity benefits of the season will be given at the Ritz Theater Monday afternoon.

The program is being arranged by Mrs. Louis B. Mayer and Mrs. Harry Raft, acting as heads of the entertainment committee of the United Order of True Sisters of Los Angeles, Chapter No. 32, and constitutes the annual charity benefit of the society.

The program will include a special dance number given by Joan Crawford and Dan Dowling; acts from the Orpheum, acts from Grauman's, Chapter No. 32, and presentation by Fanchon and Marco, and the Klein brothers.

Native Sons' Leader Here

Charles A. Thompson, Grand President of the Native Sons of the Golden West, who is stopping at the Biltmore, favors the establishment of an associate membership in the State Native Son organization, which will admit to membership men who have lived in California twenty-five years.

"Such an associate membership is under consideration and if approved, it would be a great help to the organization," said Thompson.

INDIAN CLUB OFFICER TO TALK AT MUSEUM

Mrs. May Montoya Jones, secretary of the American Indian Women's Club, will be the speaker at the Southwest Museum, tomorrow at 3 p.m., on "Contributions of the American Indians to Culture."

Mrs. Jones is of Pueblo Indian descent and has devoted her life to the study of the Indian and his arts. The American Indian Women's Club is an organization whose members are of Indian ancestry. It is given the opportunity to study the ethnology of the American race and the program of unusual interest to children and adults has been arranged for today at 10 a.m. at the museum.

PATRIOTIC GROUPS TO HONOR WASHINGTON

Members of the Sons of the American Revolution Society of Colonial Wars and other patriotic organizations are to assemble in St. Paul Cathedral, 618 South Figueroa street, at a meeting of the 1928 general assembly in commemoration of Washington's Birthday anniversary.

Collins M. Clair will act as chairman, speakers being Rev. Henry Beal and Dr. Edward Marshall Pallette, president of the local S.A.R. chapter.

HICKMAN-HUNT COUNSEL CLASH

Walsh Sides With State on Dominance Defense

Morning Session Ordered to Speed Up Trial

Expert Lays Fatal Shot to Girl-Slayer's Pal

Sharp verbal clashes between prosecution and defense counsel and admonitions by the court near the close yesterday of the seventh day of the joint trial of William Edward Hickman, condemned slayer, and his youthful bandit pal, Welby Hunt, who are charged with the murder of G. Iry Toma, foreclosed the coming of a stiff legal battle before the testimony on the "not-guilty" phase of the hearing is placed before the jury.

The first intimation of a three-cornered fight came yesterday just after Dep. Dist. Atty. Costello completed the evidence for the prosecution. Attorney Glesler, defending young Hunt, asked for a short recess, and when court reconvened began his opening statement. While the Hunt attorney was relating certain facts he expects to place before the jury, the Attorney Walsh offered strenuous objection to Glesler's reference to asserted domination of Hickman over Hunt. Walsh was instantly sustained by the prosecution and Judge Craig ordered certain portions of Glesler's remarks stricken.

FIGHTS DOMINANCE PLEA

At this point Dep. Dist. Atty. Costello told the court he will oppose all attempts of the Hunt attorney to introduce evidence of the alleged dominance idea, as well as any testimony unconnected with the Rose Hill murder.

The State's Attorney was supported by counsel for Hickman, and the court announced that rulings will be made at the proper time.

In an effort to place the case before the jury Monday night, Judge Craig ordered a morning session of court today at 9:30.

When court adjourned last night Attorney Glesler was in the witness chair testifying to the fact that he obtained in Kansas City, Mo., for young Hunt, these depositions brought forth objections from the State's attorneys and Hickman's counsel.

Last night Attorney Glesler said he had ordered a morning session of court today at 9:30.

Evidence tending to place the actual shooting of the druggist at the door of young Hunt came with the testimony of witnesses to the scene. Investigation of the scene official told of finding empty 380-caliber shells on the floor after the shooting.

Conrad Nagel, United States Army ballistics expert, testified that the bullet fired from the back of Toma was fired from a 380-caliber automatic. Hickman's confession of the crime was read by Undersecretary Bleasdale.

Attorney Walsh struck a strong blow at the charge that Hickman had fired the fatal shot while the slayer's counsel was closing evidence for the prosecution.

HEARING TODAY FOR FIVE IN PICTURE CASE

Date for the trial of five persons charged with printing and distributing photographs showing the murder of George E. Smith, principal victim of William Edward Hickman, will be set this morning by Municipal Judge Blake.

The five are William M. Burge, suspended police officer; Dick Sparks, 1394 S. South Berendo street; George E. Smith, 230 S. Crest; Hugo Hollman, 1229 West Twenty-fourth street; Jack Krusz, 2314 Crenshaw Boulevard.

Prosecution of the sextet grows out of numerous complaints that the pictures were being printed by a commercial photographer and sold for 50 cents each.

He Won't Need to Serve More Than 150 Years

Arthur Guerrero, under sentence of from three to 150 years in Folsom penitentiary, yesterday was cleared of a charge of robbery in Judge McDaniels' court when the judge ordered the jury to bring in a verdict of acquittal.

Guerrero and Pete Grafalera were jointly indicted on a charge of robbing a harbor-district resident last August, but the court instructed the jury to acquit because 12 of the 15 jurors were in doubt.

Memorial Day Meeting Called

Veteran organizations and their affiliated women's organizations will be represented by three delegates each at a meeting of the 1928 general Memorial Day committee March 5, in the auditorium of Patriotic Hall, 1816 South Figueroa street.

Officers will be elected and committees appointed to carry out the observance of Memorial Day May 31.



Household Needs and Timely Suggestions

It would be a great shame to overlook such an opportunity as that which the Mothers Paint Co. of 1248 S. Hill St., offers—that of getting free lessons in applied arts. You learn to do so many useful things at these classes—for instance, Italian decorating; plastic work ornaments and clay work—also you are shown how to use the oil paints on lamp shades and exactly how to apply transfer pictures, antiquing them so that they are too alluring for words!

It is hard to believe that all this knowledge is given gratis—your only expense being for the material you use. Really, you are overlooking a great opportunity if you fail to join these classes.

Do let me urge you to go in the very first of the coming week. One thing is true, you will never cease to be glad you spent your leisure time so profitably.

To skin tomatoes, peaches or lemons easily place them in a basin and pour boiling water over them; let stand a minute, then drain.

What a deal we owe to the makers of the Super-Royal Electric Vacuum Cleaner! Just think of being able to paint with your vacuum cleaner—why it sounds too good to be true, doesn't it?

There is more about the Super-Royal attachment known as the Royal Spray. You can now with utmost ease apply the new vivid colored lacquers to unfinished furniture—which costs a mere nothing and have for your very own all the cherished home furnishings you have so long wanted.

Space won't permit me to tell you everything this spray can do. So why don't you go and see Mr. A. C. Herriot, 324 South Broadway, and let him explain in detail just everything.

To pare pineapples easily cut it into rings and peel each slice separately.

Making certain correctly—about on the correctly—is no easy job, as everyone knows who has tried it. Taken a lot of time, patience and skill even though you think it a simple task. Better risk a failure, but get in touch with the Super-Royal Vacuum Cleaner, 1428 W. 2nd, Dist. #728, and let them do the work for you. They will gladly give you an estimate and their charges are really small.

To clean white kid shoes: Make a ladle of pure white soap and milk. Brush as much dirt as possible off the shoes before scrubbing with the ladle.

There is something almost magical about the Super-Royal Vacuum Cleaner. No need to give up your favorite dishes any more, for you can eat a slice of Easy bread and indulge your appetite for your heart's content. Easy bread may be bought at Young's Market Company, Seventh and Union. Phone or write for a descriptive literature booklet. DUnkrink 2201 is the phone number.

To clean satin slippers take a little alcohol and drop three or four drops of lemon juice in it; apply to slippers with a soft white cloth or linen.

You have no idea of the pleasure you will derive from your sliver after it has been made pre-ventable even more by the Platters of 239 1-3 S. Spring street (upstairs), who do the finest replating in the city and whose charges are more than reasonable.

The best way to skin beet without bleeding: Put them in cold water as soon as cooked, then draw the hand gently down each beet and the skins will come off easily. Leave slugs an inch long on beetle and the color will not cook out.

To peel apples easily, pour boiling water over apples to be peeled, they peel much more easily and it saves time.

Rooming-house Matron Choked and Cash Taken

Choked and robbed by a man who pretended he wanted to rent a room yesterday, Mrs. Sarah Brock, 38 years of age, owner of a rooming-house at 1324 West Pico street, is in General Hospital, her condition reported as critical.

The man, who is described as a foreigner, is believed to have followed Mrs. Brock home from the bank. Soon after she returned, he entered and choked her into unconsciousness as she showed him a room.

She was removed to the Georgia Street Receiving Hospital and given emergency treatment, and it was found that \$41 which she had in her purse had been taken. Captain of Detectives Slayton investigated the case.

Convict Woman of Drunk-Driving

Driving home from a New Year's Day party may cost Mrs. Gladys Stone \$200 or from one to five years in San Quentin, it developed yesterday in Judge McDaniels' court, where the woman was found guilty of operating an automobile while intoxicated.

The jury that convicted Mrs. Stone recommended the \$200 fine, but unless the court is influenced by the jury's recommendation, she may face the penitentiary sentence. Judge McDaniels will pass on the question of her punishment Monday.

DOALINGA HIGH NAMES ORATOR

School to Enter Contestant

J. Fluetsch, Senior Wins Honor

Mary's Academy Expected to be Third

Collings High School goes to the hour of better the second Pacific Southwest to select its representative for the Fifth National and Third International in a Oratorical Contest.

John J. Fluetsch, a senior, president of the student body and prominent athlete, will carry the banner of the school into the district contest.

He was chosen at the close of the Kikriparian contest, which Edwin Kikriparian, a senior, was the runner-up.

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WAMPAS FROLIC TONIGHT

Publicity Men Expect 3000 Persons at Ball When Baby Stars Will be Introduced

Place: Ambassador Auditorium.
Doors will open at 7:30 p.m.
Performance starts at 8:30 o'clock.
The affair is formal.

Five hundred persons will contribute to the staging of the show.

Attendance is limited to 3000 persons.

One hundred and fifty trained ushers and fifty police officers on duty.

Three masters of ceremony will officiate.

One hundred and seventy-five filmland celebrities will be on hand.

Wampas baby stars of 1928 will make their debut.

One hundred musicians will furnish music.

Parking space arranged for 1500 automobiles.

Affair sponsored by Western Association Motion Pictures Advertisers.

Net proceeds to be devoted to charities.

Screenland's social season will reach a climax when the doors are thrown open tonight for the seventh annual Wampas frolic and ball at the Ambassador Auditorium.

Great and near great in film, social and business circles of the city, will be present.

Thirty feature acts comprise the schedule of amusement. The ac- range from individual performers to ensembles. Dancing will divide the program.

ONE OF FEATURES

One of the features of the frolic will be the presentation of the thirteen Wampas baby stars. The introduction will be lavishly staged.

stage setting of fanciful conception has been executed in a combination of pale orchid, silver and gold. With this as a background, the individual actresses will be introduced and will promenade the length of a long curving runway, which will bring each into close vision of all of the spectators. The baby stars are:

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GIRL IN ROSEN CASE MISSING

Kathleen Marsh Suddenly Disappears

Officers Fear She May be Gang Victim

Aided Hunt for Slayers of Sweetheart

Kathleen Marsh, sweetheart of William Henry Lafferty, alias Bill Rosen, slain mysteriously a month ago in an underworld feud, is a strange case in the history of the city.

Since that time deputy sheriffs have combed the city but found no trace of her. Now they are making efforts to communicate with her relatives, said to live in Vancouver, B. C.

Because of her acquaintance with many of Lafferty's close friends, Miss Marsh is regarded by the officers as an important figure in the investigation. It was through information supplied by her that the authorities hoped to trace Lafferty's slayers.

Inasmuch as the woman had nothing to fear from the authorities and had been offered every protection if she deemed it necessary, her sudden disappearance is regarded with fears that she may be a victim of the same underworld gang believed responsible for Lafferty's death.

Lafferty's bullet-riddled body was found in the ditch on Western avenue, four miles north of San Pedro, January 28, last. Deputy sheriffs who investigated said that Lafferty evidently had been knocked to the ground and then three .45-caliber bullets were fired into his heart.

ROBBERY WITNESS

The day following the killing Farmer Page, so-called gambling king of Los Angeles, appeared at Capt. Bright's office in the Sheriff's office voluntarily to submit to questioning.

At the same time it was learned that Lafferty formerly had served as door man at a gambling hall asserted to be operated by Page.

A few days later it was discovered that Lafferty was a star witness for the state in the prosecution of Mrs. Oille Lewis and Edwin Chase, charged with robbing guests at a fashionable Wilshire bridge party of jewels worth \$15,000.

But despite the discovery of all these facts, the officers have been unable to trace Lafferty's killers.

"We hope to hear from her in a safe," Capt. Bright said, "for we need her in this case."

STATEMENT BY LEWIS CITED

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before the limit was reached and the District Attorney holds that everything issued after the revocation was overruled.

Being secretary of last year, one broker told Lewis he believed the overrule then was more than 1000 shares of preferred stock.

Lewis says in his statement.

Attorney Edwin J. Leeb, who resumed the stand yesterday, was asked by Lewis if he was a stockholder in the company.

"I don't know," Leeb replied. "I bought 2000 shares."

PRECEDENT QUOTED IN TRACT SUIT

Plaintiffs in Pellissier Square Case Cite Ruling Upholding Restrictions

The Supreme Court's ruling ten years ago in the Martin-Holm case, in which building restrictions in a portion of the Westmoreland tract on Washington street, were sustained, was cited in Superior Judge Collier's court yesterday by counsel for property owners in the Pellissier square tract, at Western avenue and Wilshire boulevard, who want the square to remain until 1940 a residential district.

Attorney Chandler Ward, who took the Martin-Holm case to the Supreme Court, and who represents defendants opposing the construction of apartment buildings and business blocks in the square, pointed out the similarity to the Martin-Holm case.

The May Company, Block Department, Second Floor, 612 West 6th Street, Los Angeles, is one of the defendants.

Judge Collier is hearing arguments offered to clear the issue and shorten the proceedings.

Attorney Max Felix, with Col. George Denis, representing owners who want the residential restrictions removed, is among defense attorneys who contend that the restrictions are invalid because they were not signed by every purchaser of a lot in the district, and that they expired January 1, 1925.

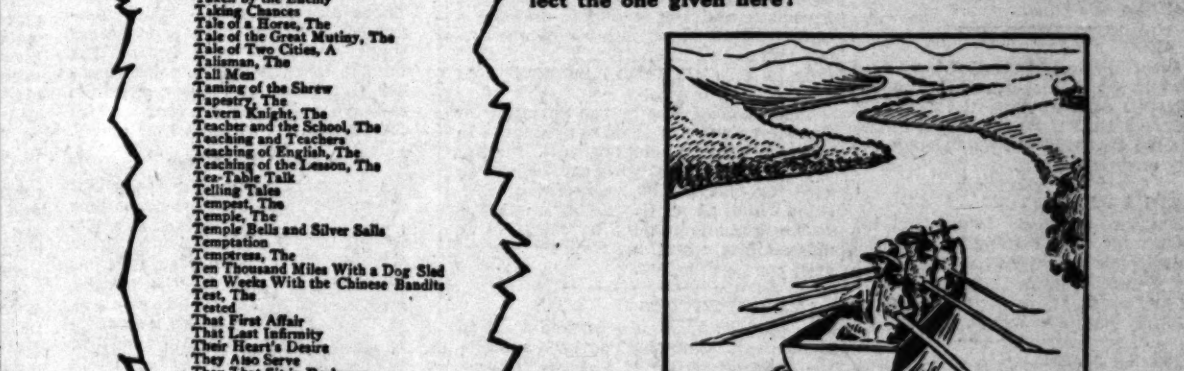
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Sunday

Go To Church Sunday



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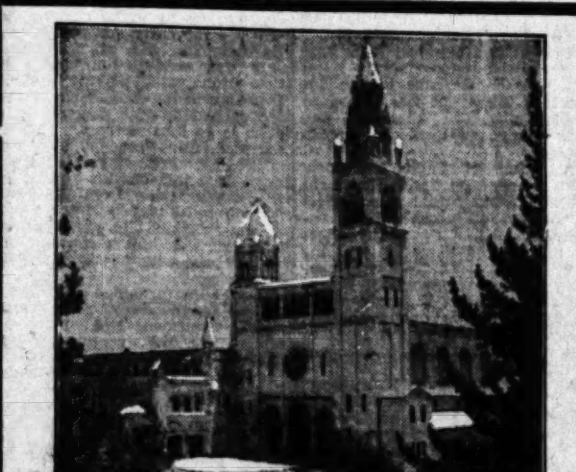
The First Sunday in Lent, February 25.
"Depend absolutely on the Love and Providence of God in every detail of your life."
Rev. Joseph H. Johnson, D.D., Minister.
Rev. W. Bertram Stevens, D.D., Rector.

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11 A.M.—"LIFE'S ABIDING ARISTOCRACY."
7:30 P.M.—"WHAT THE WAR DID TO MY MEMORY"

Church School—Nine Departmental Assemblies. Classes to meet the requirements of every age. 9:30 A.M.
CHILDREN'S CHURCH: PROGRAM ADAPTED FOR SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT OF THE CHILDREN. SAME HOUR AS ADULT SERVICE.
Chorus Choir Morning and Evening.
Organ Recitals—10:30 A.M.; 7 P.M.
Alexander Stewart, Choir Director. David Wright, Organist.

Temple Baptist Church

PHILHARMONIC TEMPLE AUDITORIUM
N. W. CORNER PERSHING SQUARE.

John Snape, D.D.
PASTOR
10:45 a.m., "MISPLACED ANXIETY"
7:30 p.m., "AN UTMOST-POST-MORTEM"
Dr. Ray Hastings in organ recital at 7 P.M. Hugo Kirchhofer leads the song service. Helen Newcomb McGurdy and Frank E. Geiger, soloists.
Evening—Human-interest testimonies by Union Rescue Mission converts conducted by Rev. William Price.
9:20 A.M.—Bible School. Classes for all ages.
8:20 P.M.—"School of World Friendship" Everyone welcome.

HOLLYWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH

Las Palmas & Selma
Edwin Benaiah Pratt, Pastor

11:00—"TESTED LIVES"
7:30—"A LAWYER'S THREE MISTAKES"
Hear Hollywood's Great Choir—Chas. LeRoy Munro, Director

J. WHITCOMB BROUGHNER, Jr.
Glendale Baptist
Wilson & Louise Sts.
11:00 A.M.
"PUTTING DAGON BACK AGAIN"
7:30 P.M.
"SEEING THINGS"
Dramatic and Musical Pageant—100 in Cast

HIGHLAND PARK BAPTIST CHURCH

At N. Ave. 30
10:30 a.m.
"STOP THIEF"
MR. WOLLAM.
Special feature—Tenor Solo by Mr. Raul Tautten, and Donald Jones.
THE PLACE TO GO ON SUNDAY NIGHT

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Alvarado and Pico Sts. Take Pico car. Dr. Andrew J. Ramsey, pastor. 11 a.m., "The Abundant Life." 7:30 p.m., "Christ's Narrow Gate."

"WHAT HAVE YOU FOR THE HEART?"

Address by E. Burdette Backus, 10:50 A.M.

M. M. Mangasarian

Lectures at 8 P.M.
"A RELIGION FOR AMERICANS"
Will New Testament Supersede or the Accumulated Knowledge of Mankind Prevail?
Prelude: "Conan Doyle and Edison"

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SHALL WE KILL OUR CRIMINALS?

Theodore Curtis Abel
11 a.m., Sunday, Feb. 26th, at
The Unitarian Society of Hollywood
in the Hollywood Playhouse, 1733 N. Vine St.
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Expert Kindergarten for Children. Inez Jacobson at Organ.
Bible Critics' Class at 10 a.m. in Playhouse Lecture Hall.

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Take 8 car north to Temple without change.

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At 8027 Grand Blvd. Sunday at 11—E. MORGAN ISAAC, at
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Wilshire Crest Presbyterian Church

Country Club Drive at Mansfield Avenue

LENTEN SERMONS

11:00 a.m.—"My Sins" in Series on
"Personal Religious Problems"

7:30 p.m.—"Love" in Series on
"The Fruit of the Spirit"

THE REVEREND THOMAS HOLDEN: Minister

One of the Twelve West Side Presbyterian Churches Uniting in Pre-Easter Ecumenical Movement

WILSHIRE BOULEVARD CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Wilshire at Normandie. Take "R" car.

Dr. Arthur Braden
President of California Christian College

Will occupy the pulpit at both morning and evening services.

11:00 A.M.
MORNING WORSHIP
THE LAW OF CHRISTIAN PROGRESS

7:30 P.M.
EVENING WORSHIP
A RELIGION FOR THE YOUTH OF TODAY

You are most cordially invited to hear Dr. Braden's instructive and constructive addresses on these timely topics.

10:45—SPECIAL ORGAN MUSIC—7:30
Dr. Bruce Gordon Kingsley
Vocalist, Choir.

First Christian Church

HOPE STREET AT ELEVENTH WARREN GRAFTON, Minister

Graded Bible School 9:30 A.M. Morning Worship 11 A.M.
"THE OBLIGATION TO TELL"

Christian Endeavor Societies 8:30 P.M. Evening Worship 7:30 P.M.
"FRIENDSHIP AS A TONIC"

Hear Carl Bandy at the Men's Bible Class, 9:30 a.m.

THE DRAKE UNIVERSITY MALE QUARTETTE

of Des Moines, Iowa, Will Sing on Sunday Evening at 7:30.

HOLLYWOOD CHRISTIAN CHURCH

1717 N. Gramercy Place, take Hollywood Blvd. car

S. J. MATHIESON, Pastor, will speak on "SERVICE ABOVE SELF"

11:00 A.M.—"The Conversion of the Samaritans"

Magnolia Avenue Christian Church

West 28th and Magnolia Aves. C. C. Michaels, Minister.
11:00 P.M.—"LET US DRIFT AWAY"

First Methodist Episcopal

EIGHTH AND HOPE.

ELMER ELLSWORTH HELMS, LL.D., Pastor
Organ Soloist, 10:30 and 7:00. Chorus 100.

Hear Dr. Helms Both Services

9:30, Men's Class. Different. 4th Floor. Elevator
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11:00—"The Gospel of the Snow"
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7:30—"Why I Am Not an Infidel"
Preceded by a group of songs by the Boys from the Strickland Home.
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BOB SHULER BOTH HOURS

TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH

(CORNER 12th and FLOWER)
ALL SERVICES BROADCAST OVER KXZ

11 A.M.—"Men Who Stand Up Straight"

7:30 P.M.—"Crooks, Knaves, Thugs, Thieves and the Remedy"

PRELUDES:
A. A Law Enforcement Policy That is Wrong.
B. Making a Record of Arrests.
C. Have-Officers a Right to "Beat Up" Prisoners?
D. Is the Automatic Fine System of the Traffic Bureau itself Criminal?

WILSHIRE METHODIST CHURCH

2nd Street at Hobart Blvd.

11:00—"The Hope of Glory." 7:30—"No Night There."

DR. WILLIE MARTIN, Preaching

Hole-Rhoda Loomis, Contralto, Quartet and Choir under Direction Nellie Gathard

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The substance of your nature, unobscured by greed or desire
Character will, truth interpreted in a feminine and powerful way.

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"HOW TO PRAY"

Sunday School at 9:30. Second Community Singing at 10:45.
Hear Dr. Castberg at the Philharmonic Orchestra, violin soloist.
EVERYBODY CORDIALLY WELCOME.

THE LOS ANGELES CHRISTADELPHIAN ECCLESIA

Subject of lecture Sunday evening, February 26th, at 7:30:
CHRIST'S PERSONAL RETURN
Drastic Insurrection—International Peace—Beneficent Result.

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All invited, 10:30 A.M. 30th & Main Sts.
"Eternal Life by Resurrection"

Stewart P. MacLennan, D.D.

Continues a series of scholarly, scriptural sermons with a background of vivid description on Mediterranean lands.

11:00 A.M. "Philip, the Frontier City of Europe"
The van of the Christian Army enters Europe.

7:30 P.M. "The Condition of the Soul After Death"
Cleaned, Clothed, Conscious, Concerned.

Stimulate and Hollywood Choir, organized for creative service.
Dr. Anderson and MacLennan at Hollywood.
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ST. PAUL'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Jefferson Blvd. at Third Ave. (Take "J" car)

11:00 A.M.—"Unafraid Hearts in a World of Upheaval"

7:30 P.M.—SERMON PRELUDES:
1. Sister Almes's "Blessed Hope" Cemetery and the High Cost of Dying.
2. Catholic and Protestant Charity, Courtesy and Intelligence Contrasted.
3. "Boy" Shuler's Traffic Ties—Are the Police Persecuting Him?
4. "Big Business" and Vagrancy—What Advertising L. A. Does.
5. The K.K.C. Takes Off Its Hood—Use It. Look Its Power in Doing So?

Evangelist J. SMITH DAMRON Clay Artist
Models illustrated Sermon in Clay, on
"THE POTTER AND THE CLAY"

Vocalist, Chorus, Organ, Pianist, Orchestra
Director: Frances L. Knight. Oliver M. Strong. Direction: Elmer Shaw

Immanuel Presbyterian Church

Services in Parish House, 666 South Catalina Street

Ministers: Herbert Booth Smith; John A. Lessinger.

DR. SMITH Will Preach at Both Services

11 A.M.—"BEAUTIFUL GATES TO THE TEMPLES OF LIFE"

MUSIC BY CHORUS, QUARTETTE AND SOLOISTS

7:30 P.M.—"DEMAS: OR THE TRAGEDY OF FALLEN ANGELS"

This Church is one of twelve Presbyterian Churches engaged in a co-operative pre-Easter Home Visitation Campaign. Help us make the Easter of 1928 memorable!

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Sunday Morning at 11
"A FUTURE CHURCH"

Sunday Night at 7:30
"GIVE A MAN A CHANCE"
Inspiring Music by Westlake Quartet.
Solo by Carl G. Miles
Gospel SINGING, 7:30.

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First Presbyterian Church, Second St. and Arizona Ave.

Special invitation to former members and friends of the Kenwood Church, Chicago, to attend service March 4th.

Come and meet many of your old friends.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN TWENTIETH AT

Dr. Cass Arthur Reed, President of Smyrna College, will preach tomorrow at 11 A.M. Topic: "GOOD WILL TOWARD MEN."

7:30 P.M. Dr. Carl S. Knopf will speak on "THE ADVENTURE OF THE CHURCH." A beautiful pageant in song will also be given. Everyone welcome.

West Adams Presbyterian Church

West Adams between Vermont and Catalina. WILLIAM EVERETT ROBERTS, D.D., Minister, 11 a.m. "The Exany of Freedom." 7:45 p.m. "Three Vital Verbs."

RADIO BIBLE STUDY COURSE

MILF. JAMISON
7 P.M.—"The Exany of Freedom." 7:45 p.m. "Three Vital Verbs."

Church of the Open Door

Pastor, REV. JOHN McNEILL—Assistant, REV. W. E. PIETSCHE

BIBLE INSTITUTE AUDITORIUM
SIXTH AND HOPE STREETS

SERVICES BROADCAST OVER RADIO KTBI

11 A.M.
The Messages to the Churches:
Philadelphia: "Behold, I have set before thee an open door."

7:30 P.M.
Hold that fast which thou hast, that no man take thy crown.

Jewish meeting, 2:45 p.m., Lower Auditorium. Speaker: D. L. Cooper

Subject: Exposition of Zechariah 11. Visitors Always Welcome.

OLIVET GOSPEL HALL

SANTEE & WASHINGTON STS.

Sunday, 7:30 P.M. MR. GEO. FRASER, missionary on furlough from Venezuela, will (D. V.) preach the gospel. Tuesday give an account of the Lord's work in that country before he returns to it.

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Wilshire Blvd. at 8th St. (Take "R" car)
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STEAM PLANT CASE UP AGAIN

Continuance of Injunction Asked by Edison

Appeal on Use of Revenues Now Pending

Use of Tideland Site Already Banned by Court

Motion for a continuance of the temporary injunction against the use of Power and Light Bureau revenue for the construction of a steam power plant at the harbor by the city, pending an appeal to the higher court, was argued yesterday by the Southern California Edison Company attorneys, Robert M. Murphy and Gail Larkin, before Superior Judge Tappan in San Francisco's underworld.

Findings signed yesterday by Judge Tappan granted another injunction sought against construction of the plant, but also announced after a month ago, and also set forth that \$1,500,000 of bond funds had been transferred improperly to the power revenue fund of the Power and Light Bureau.

There still is sufficient left in the revenue funds, a total of \$3,160,217, after the \$1,500,000 of bond funds were withdrawn, to start work on the plant during the present fiscal year, and it is against the use of this sum pending decision in an appeal, that the Southern California Edison Company argued yesterday.

The company, which sued as a taxpayer against the construction of the plant on tideland, the findings setting forth that such a plant, requiring a large amount of space, would interfere with development of the west basin, where a site had been chosen.

Shipments of clothing to him under a fictitious name by an associate of the company, the findings of the department of Keller, Hauman & Thompson Company, Inc., clothing manufacturers, 127 East Ninth street, was the plan by which H. E. Cohen, secondhand dealer, received hundreds of dollars' worth of stolen property, according to testimony adduced at his hearing yesterday before Municipal Judge Stutsman.

Thomas Kelly, now serving a six-day term in the City Jail for petty theft, was "planted" in the clothing company's mailing room by Cohen, Dep. Dist. Atty. Chase charged in his examination of the defendant.

Judge Stutsman ordered Cohen held for trial to the Superior Court on a recent complaint charging stolen property, involving the theft of fifty-six suits valued at \$1351. On recommendation of Prosecutor Choate bail was fixed at \$3000.

Yesterdays she announced she had been engaged by the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios to appear in one of four productions which will be started in the near future.

The bet came as a result of a discussion with friends at dinner in London, at which time she said a wager of \$250 that, without experience in pictures, she could break into the film over here. She arrived a month ago.

The entertainment committee of the Commercial Club of Southern California has announced Monday as stag night, welcoming party for its newly elected officers for this year. Following a special dinner, the main dining-room will be turned into a ring for three four-round boxing bouts. Vaudeville and musical entertainment will be furnished by local theaters.

The club's officers are W. G. Lane, president; A. G. Walker and Sim Crabb, vice-presidents; Thomas Claverty, treasurer, and Harry D. Clark, secretary.

While an intermittent war is being waged between Los Angeles runners and hijackers, a new form of criminal has appeared—one who hijacks near beer from unsuspecting soft-drink dealers.

It was revealed at the Sheriff's office yesterday.

The latest victim is Harry Greenberg, proprietor of a small soft-drink stand at 4584 Whittier Boulevard.

Thursday night an intruder forced the rear door and stole twenty-five cases of assorted near-beer, according to his report.

Swanson Script Called 'Ideal'

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Scenarists and authors will do well to study "Sadie Thompson," Gloria Swanson's latest picture, which will open Wednesday at the United Artists Theater. It is suggested by the management.

The reason for this lies in the fact that the script was hailed by Raul Walsh, the director, and many others, as ideal for screen purposes.

"The story of 'Sadie Thompson' is not founded on a single element of interest, but rather is a perfect combination of many," Walsh reportedly stated. "It is not a collection of situations leading up to one climax, but a perfectly logical succession of climaxes, each of which, in turn, reaches a higher peak of interest than the one preceding. And in its final climax it soars to a dramatic height that is startling in its intensity."

The story of "Sadie Thompson" details the conflict between an outcast of San Francisco's underworld, from whom the picture takes its name; a reformer, Alfred Atkinson, who encounters the girl at Pago Pago, and a marine sergeant stationed with a detachment of men on the island.

ARMY TRAINING IS GRAPHICALLY SHOWN

How Uncle Sam's future army officers and leaders for service is vividly presented in Raymond L. Schrock's authentic story of the government's military academy, "West Point," now showing at the Alhambra Theater.

William Haines, Joan Crawford, Ruth Emerson, Neil Nolly, William Bakewell and others make up the cast.

In conjunction with this picture are two Vitaphone acts and Fox Movietone News.

SUE CAROL POPULAR

Sue Carol has been in pictures but eight months but during that time she has appeared as leading lady at five different studios. Two pictures for Fox, one for Universal, one for Douglas MacLean, two at the Millie and one for M-G-M, are to her credit and she is now signed for another Fox lead in addition to the picture she will make for the Millie when she has completed her previous engagements.

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Wednesday marks not only the opening of "The Patent Leather Kid" at the Criterion, but also an anniversary for Arthur Stone, who plays Puffy, the pal of Richard Barthelmess, star of the picture.

It was exactly four years ago that Stone, then playing the local Orpheum in his comedy sketch, was approached by Hal Roach with an offer to go into pictures. This was accepted, and Stone spent a year in comedy. Following this, he had to go East to settle his affairs, and was a year away from Hollywood.

Returning, he played in one picture for First National, in which his performance won him a contract, and he has been with that organization ever since.

Stone's performance as Puffy is said to be the finest of his screen characterizations, and he has won much favorable comment from Eastern critics.

TWICE-TOLD TALE

Charles Purthman, whose screen adaptation of the Ben Hecht story "Underworld," will remain as one of the classics of film history, today was assigned to prepare with Jules Furthman the screen play for the next George Bandrol starring picture, according to an announcement from Paramount.

The story, not yet titled, has the law's battle against organized crime as its theme. It will be directed by Josef von Sternberg, the director of "Underworld," and Evelyn Brent and Fred Kohler have been assigned to the support.

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